

# Genesis 1

- <sup>1</sup> In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth.
- <sup>2</sup> And the earth was without form, and void; and darkness was upon the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters.
- <sup>3</sup> And God said, Let there be light: and there was light.
- <sup>4</sup> And God saw the light, that it was good: and God divided the light from the darkness.
- <sup>5</sup> And God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And the evening and the morning were the first day.
- <sup>6</sup> And God said, Let there be a firmament in the midst of the waters, and let it divide the waters from the waters.
- <sup>7</sup> And God made the firmament, and divided the waters which were *under* the firmament from the waters which were *above* the firmament: and it was so.
- <sup>8</sup> And God called the firmament Heaven. And the evening and the morning were the second day.
- <sup>9</sup> And God said, Let the waters under the heaven be gathered together unto one place, and let the dry land appear: and it was so.
- <sup>10</sup> And God called the *dry* land Earth; and the gathering together of the waters called he Seas: and God saw that it was good.
- <sup>11</sup> And God said, Let the earth bring forth grass, the herb yielding seed, and the fruit tree yielding fruit after his kind, whose seed is in itself, upon the earth: and it was so.
- <sup>12</sup> And the earth brought forth grass, and herb yielding seed *after* his kind, and the tree yielding fruit, whose seed was in itself, *after* his kind: and God saw that it was good.
- <sup>13</sup> And the evening and the morning were the third day.
- <sup>14</sup> And God said, Let there be lights in the firmament of the heaven to divide the day from the night; and let them be for signs, and for seasons, and for days, and years:
- <sup>15</sup> And let them be for lights in the firmament of the heaven to give light upon the earth: and it was so.
- <sup>16</sup> And God made two great lights; the greater light to rule the day, and the lesser light to rule the night: he made the stars also.
- <sup>17</sup> And God set them in the firmament of the heaven to give light upon the earth,

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- <sup>18</sup> And to rule over the day and over the night, and to divide the light from the darkness: and **God** saw that it was good.
- <sup>19</sup> And the evening and the morning were the fourth day.
- <sup>20</sup> And **God** said, Let the waters bring forth abundantly the moving creature that hath life, and fowl that may fly above the earth in the open firmament of heaven.
- <sup>21</sup> And **God** created great whales, and every living creature that moveth, which the waters brought forth abundantly, after their kind, and every winged fowl after his kind: and **God** saw that it was good.
- <sup>22</sup> And **God** blessed them, saying, Be fruitful, and multiply, and fill the waters in the seas, and let fowl multiply in the earth.
- <sup>23</sup> And the evening and the morning were the fifth day.
- <sup>24</sup> And **God** said, Let the earth bring forth the living creature after his kind, cattle, and creeping thing, and beast of the earth after his kind: and it was so.
- <sup>25</sup> And **God** made the beast of the earth after his kind, and cattle after their kind, and every thing that creepeth upon the earth after his kind: and **God** saw that it was good.
- <sup>26</sup> And **God** said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness: and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth.
- <sup>27</sup> So **God** created man in his own image, in the image of **God** created he him; male and female created he them.
- <sup>28</sup> And **God** blessed them, and **God** said unto them, Be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth, and subdue it: and have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that moveth upon the earth.
- <sup>29</sup> And **God** said, Behold, I have given you every herb bearing seed, which is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree, in the which is the fruit of a tree yielding seed; to you it shall be for meat.
- <sup>30</sup> And to every beast of the earth, and to every fowl of the air, and to every thing that creepeth upon the earth, wherein there is life, I have given every green herb for meat: and it was so.
- <sup>31</sup> And **God** saw every thing that he had made, and, behold, it was very good. And the evening and the morning were the sixth day.

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- <sup>1</sup> Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and *all* the host of them.
- <sup>2</sup> And on the seventh day God ended his work which he had *made*; and he rested on the seventh day from *all* his work which he had *made*.
- <sup>3</sup> And God blessed the seventh day, and sanctified it: because that in it he had rested from *all* his work which God created and *made*.
- <sup>4</sup> These are the generations of the heavens and of the earth when they were created, in the day that the LORD God *made* the earth and the heavens,
- <sup>5</sup> And every plant of the field *before* it was in the earth, and every herb of the field *before* it grew: for the LORD God had not caused it to rain upon the earth, and there was not a man to till the ground.
- <sup>6</sup> But there went up a mist from the earth, and watered the whole face of the ground.
- <sup>7</sup> And the LORD God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul.
- <sup>8</sup> And the LORD God planted a garden eastward in Eden; and there he put the man whom he had formed.
- <sup>9</sup> And out of the ground made the LORD God to grow every tree that is pleasant to the sight, and good for food; the tree of life also in the midst of the garden, and the tree of knowledge of good and evil.
- <sup>10</sup> And a river went out of Eden to water the garden; and from thence it was parted, and became into four heads.
- <sup>11</sup> The name of the first is Pison: that is it which compasseth the whole land of Havilah, where there is gold;
- <sup>12</sup> And the gold of that land is good: there is bdellium and the onyx stone.
- <sup>13</sup> And the name of the second river is Gihon: the same is it that compasseth the whole land of Ethiopia.
- <sup>14</sup> And the name of the third river is Hiddekel: that is it which goeth toward the east of Assyria. And the fourth river is Euphrates.
- <sup>15</sup> And the LORD God took the man, and put him into the garden of Eden to dress it and to keep it.
- <sup>16</sup> And the LORD God commanded the man, saying, Of every tree of the garden thou mayest freely eat:
- <sup>17</sup> But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it: for in the day that thou eatest thereof thou shalt surely die.

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- <sup>18</sup> And the **LORD God** said, It is not good that the man should be *alone*; I will *make* him an help meet for him.
- <sup>19</sup> And *out* of the ground the **LORD God** formed every beast of the field, and every fowl of the air; and brought them unto **Adam** to see what he would call them: and whatsoever **Adam** called every living creature, that was the name thereof.
- <sup>20</sup> And **Adam** gave names to *all* cattle, and to the fowl of the air, and to every beast of the field; but for **Adam** there was not found an help meet for him.
- <sup>21</sup> And the **LORD God** caused a deep sleep to fall upon **Adam**, and he slept: and he took one of his ribs, and closed up the flesh *instead* thereof;
- <sup>22</sup> And the rib, which the **LORD God** had taken from man, *made* he a woman, and brought her unto the man.
- <sup>23</sup> And **Adam** said, This is *now* bone of my bones, and flesh of my flesh: she shall be called **Woman**, because she was taken *out* of **Man**.
- <sup>24</sup> Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh.
- <sup>25</sup> And they were both naked, the man and his wife, and were not ashamed.

# Genesis 3

- <sup>1</sup> Now the serpent was *more subtil* than *any beast* of the field which the **LORD God** had made. And he said unto the woman, Yea, hath **God** said, Ye shall not eat of every tree of the garden?
- <sup>2</sup> And the woman said unto the serpent, We may eat of the fruit of the trees of the garden:
- <sup>3</sup> But of the fruit of the tree which is in the *midst* of the garden, **God** hath said, Ye shall not eat of it, neither shall ye touch it, lest ye die.
- <sup>4</sup> And the serpent said unto the woman, Ye shall not surely die:
- <sup>5</sup> For **God** doth know that in the day ye eat thereof, then your eyes shall be opened, and ye shall be as gods, *knowing good and evil*.
- <sup>6</sup> And when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree to be desired to make one wise, she took of the fruit thereof, and did eat, and gave *also* unto her husband with her; and he did eat.
- <sup>7</sup> And the eyes of them both were opened, and they knew that they were naked; and they sewed fig leaves together, and made themselves aprons.
- <sup>8</sup> And they heard the voice of the **LORD God** walking in the garden in the cool of the day: and **Adam** and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the **LORD God** amongst the trees of the garden.
- <sup>9</sup> And the **LORD God** called unto **Adam**, and said unto him, Where art thou?
- <sup>10</sup> And he said, I heard thy voice in the garden, and I was afraid, because I was naked; and I hid myself.
- <sup>11</sup> And he said, Who told thee that thou wast naked? Hast thou eaten of the tree, whereof I commanded thee that thou shouldest not eat?
- <sup>12</sup> And the man said, The woman whom thou *gavest* to be with me, she gave me of the tree, and I did eat.
- <sup>13</sup> And the **LORD God** said unto the woman, What is this that thou hast done? And the woman said, The serpent beguiled me, and I did eat.
- <sup>14</sup> And the **LORD God** said unto the serpent, Because thou hast done this, thou art cursed above all cattle, and above every beast of the field; upon thy belly shalt thou go, and dust shalt thou eat *all* the days of thy life:
- <sup>15</sup> And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel.

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- <sup>16</sup> Unto the woman he said, I will greatly multiply thy sorrow and thy conception; in sorrow thou shalt bring forth children; and thy desire shall be to thy husband, and he shall rule over thee.
- <sup>17</sup> And unto **Adam** he said, Because thou hast hearkened unto the voice of thy wife, and hast eaten of the tree, of which I commanded thee, saying, Thou shalt not eat of it: cursed is the ground for thy sake; in sorrow shalt thou eat of it *all* the days of thy life;
- <sup>18</sup> Thorns also and thistles shall it bring forth to thee; and thou shalt eat the herb of the field;
- <sup>19</sup> In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread, till thou return unto the ground; for *out* of it wast thou taken: *for dust thou art, and unto dust shalt thou return.*
- <sup>20</sup> And **Adam** called his wife's name **Eve**; because she was the mother of *all living*.
- <sup>21</sup> Unto **Adam** also and to his wife did the **LORD God** make coats of skins, and clothed them.
- <sup>22</sup> And the **LORD God** said, Behold, the man is become as *one of us*, to know good and evil. and now, lest he put forth his hand, and take *also* of the tree of life, and eat, and live for ever.
- <sup>23</sup> Therefore the **LORD God** sent him forth from the garden of **Eden**, to till the ground from whence he was taken.
- <sup>24</sup> So he drove out the man; and he placed at the *east* of the garden of **Eden** Cherubims, and a flaming sword which turned every way, to keep the way of the tree of life.

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- <sup>1</sup> And **Adam** *knew* **Eve** his wife; and she conceived, and bare **Cain**, and said, I have gotten a man from the **LORD**.
- <sup>2</sup> And she again bare his brother **Abel**. And **Abel** was a keeper of sheep, but **Cain** was a tiller of the ground.
- <sup>3</sup> And in process of time it came to pass, that **Cain** brought of the fruit of the ground an offering unto the **LORD**.
- <sup>4</sup> And **Abel**, he also brought of the firstlings of his flock and of the fat thereof. And the **LORD** had respect unto **Abel** and to his offering:
- <sup>5</sup> But unto **Cain** and to his offering he had not respect. And **Cain** was very wrath, and his countenance fell.
- <sup>6</sup> And the **LORD** said unto **Cain**, Why art thou wrath? and why is thy countenance fallen?
- <sup>7</sup> If thou doest well, shalt thou not be accepted? and if thou doest not well, sin lieth at the door. And unto thee shall be his desire, and thou shalt rule over him.
- <sup>8</sup> And **Cain** talked with **Abel** his brother: and it came to pass, when they were in the field, that **Cain rose up** against **Abel** his brother, and slew him.
- <sup>9</sup> And the **LORD** said unto **Cain**, Where is Abel thy brother? And he said, I know not: Am I my **brother's keeper?**
- <sup>10</sup> And he said, What hast thou done? the voice of thy brother's blood crieth unto me from the ground.
- <sup>11</sup> And now art thou cursed from the earth, which hath opened her mouth to receive thy brother's blood from thy hand;
- <sup>12</sup> When thou tillest the ground, it shall not henceforth yield unto thee her strength; a fugitive and a vagabond shalt thou be in the earth.
- <sup>13</sup> And **Cain** said unto the **LORD**, My punishment is greater than I can bear.
- <sup>14</sup> Behold, thou hast driven me out this day from the face of the earth; and from *thy face* shall I be hid; and I shall be a fugitive and a vagabond in the earth; and it shall come to pass, that every one that findeth me shall slay me.
- <sup>15</sup> And the **LORD** said unto him, Therefore whosoever slayeth **Cain**, vengeance shall be taken on him sevenfold. And the **LORD** set a mark upon **Cain**, lest *any* finding him should kill him.

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- <sup>16</sup> And **Cain** went *out* from the presence of the **LORD**, and dwelt in the land of **Nod**, on the *east* of **Eden**.
- <sup>17</sup> And **Cain** knew his wife; and she conceived, and bare **Enoch**: and he buildded a city, and called the name of the city, *after* the name of his son, **Enoch**.
- <sup>18</sup> And unto **Enoch** was born **Irada**: and **Irada** begat **Mehujael**: and **Mehujael** begat **Methusael**: and **Methusael** begat **Lamech**.
- <sup>19</sup> And **Lamech** took unto him two wives: the name of the one was **Adah**, and the name of the other **Zillah**.
- <sup>20</sup> And **Adah** bare **Jabal**: he was the father of such as dwelt in tents, and of such as have cattle.
- <sup>21</sup> And his brother's name was **Jubal**: he was the father of *all* such as handle the harp and organ.
- <sup>22</sup> And **Zillah**, she also bare **Tubalcain**, an instructor of every artificer in brass and iron: and the sister of **Tubalcain** was **Naamah**.
- <sup>23</sup> And **Lamech** said unto his wives, **Adah** and **Zillah**, Hear my voice; ye wives of **Lamech**, hearken unto my speech: for I have slain a man to my wounding, and a young man to my hurt.
- <sup>24</sup> If **Cain** shall be avenged sevenfold, truly **Lamech** seventy and sevenfold.
- <sup>25</sup> And **Adam** knew his wife again; and she bare a son, and called his name **Seth**: For **God**, said she, hath appointed me another seed *instead* of **Abel**, whom **Cain** slew.
- <sup>26</sup> And to **Seth**, to him also there was born a son; and he called his name **Enos**: then began men to call upon the name of the LORD.



# Genesis 5

- <sup>1</sup> This is the book of the generations of Adam. In the day that God created man, in the *likeness* of God *made* he him;
- <sup>2</sup> Male and female created he them; and blessed them, and called *their name* Adam, in the day when they were created.
- <sup>3</sup> And Adam lived an hundred and thirty years, and begat a son in his *own likeness*, and *after* his image; and called his name Seth:
- <sup>4</sup> And the days of Adam *after* he had begotten Seth were eight hundred years: and he begat sons and daughters:
- <sup>5</sup> And *all* the days that Adam lived were nine hundred and thirty years: and he died.
- <sup>6</sup> And Seth lived an hundred and five years, and begat Enos:
- <sup>7</sup> And Seth lived *after* he begat Enos eight hundred and seven years, and begat sons and daughters:
- <sup>8</sup> And *all* the days of Seth were nine hundred and twelve years: and he died.
- <sup>9</sup> And Enos lived ninety years, and begat Cainan:
- <sup>10</sup> And Enos lived *after* he begat Cainan eight hundred and fifteen years, and begat sons and daughters:
- <sup>11</sup> And *all* the days of Enos were nine hundred and five years: and he died.
- <sup>12</sup> And Cainan lived seventy years and begat Mahalaleel:
- <sup>13</sup> And Cainan lived *after* he begat Mahalaleel eight hundred and forty years, and begat sons and daughters:
- <sup>14</sup> And *all* the days of Cainan were nine hundred and ten years: and he died.
- <sup>15</sup> And Mahalaleel lived sixty and five years, and begat Jared:
- <sup>16</sup> And Mahalaleel lived *after* he begat Jared eight hundred and thirty years, and begat sons and daughters:
- <sup>17</sup> And *all* the days of Mahalaleel were eight hundred ninety and five years: and he died.
- <sup>18</sup> And Jared lived an hundred sixty and two years, and he begat Enoch:
- <sup>19</sup> And Jared lived *after* he begat Enoch eight hundred years, and begat sons and daughters:
- <sup>20</sup> And *all* the days of Jared were nine hundred sixty and two years: and he died.

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- <sup>21</sup> And **Enoch** lived sixty and five years, and begat **Methuselah**:
- <sup>22</sup> And **Enoch** walked with God *after* he begat **Methuselah** three hundred years, and begat sons and daughters:
- <sup>23</sup> And *all* the days of **Enoch** were three hundred sixty and five years:
- <sup>24</sup> And **Enoch** walked with God: and he *was not*; for **God** *took* him.
- <sup>25</sup> And **Methuselah** lived an hundred eighty and seven years, and begat **Lamech**.
- <sup>26</sup> And **Methuselah** lived *after* he begat **Lamech** seven hundred eighty and two years, and begat sons and daughters:
- <sup>27</sup> And *all* the days of **Methuselah** were nine hundred sixty and nine years: and he died.
- <sup>28</sup> And **Lamech** lived an hundred eighty and two years, and begat a son:
- <sup>29</sup> And he called his name **Noah**, saying, This same shall comfort us concerning our work and toil of our hands, because of the ground which the LORD hath cursed.
- <sup>30</sup> And **Lamech** lived *after* he begat **Noah** five hundred ninety and five years, and begat sons and daughters:
- <sup>31</sup> And *all* the days of **Lamech** were seven hundred seventy and seven years: and he died.
- <sup>32</sup> And **Noah** was five hundred years old: and **Noah** begat **Shem, Ham, and Japheth**.

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- <sup>1</sup> And it came to pass, when men began to multiply on the face of the earth, and daughters were born unto them,
- <sup>2</sup> That the sons of God saw the daughters of men that they were fair; and they took them wives of all which they chose.
- <sup>3</sup> And the **LORD** said, My spirit shall not always strive with man, for that he *also* is flesh: yet his days shall be an hundred and twenty years.
- <sup>4</sup> There were giants in the earth in those days; and *also after* that, when the sons of God came in unto the daughters of men, and they bare children to them, the same became mighty men which were of old, men of renown.
- <sup>5</sup> And **God** saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was *only evil continually*.
- <sup>6</sup> And it repented the **LORD** that he had made man on the earth, and it grieved him at his heart.
- <sup>7</sup> And the **LORD** said, I will destroy man whom I have created from the face of the earth; both man, and beast, and the creeping thing, and the fowls of the air; for it repenteth me that I have made them.
- <sup>8</sup> But Noah found grace in the eyes of the **LORD**.
- <sup>9</sup> These are the generations of Noah: Noah was a just man and perfect in his generations, and Noah walked with God.
- <sup>10</sup> And Noah begat three sons, Shem, Ham, and Japheth.
- <sup>11</sup> The earth also was corrupt *before God*, and the earth was filled with violence.
- <sup>12</sup> And **God** looked upon the earth, and, behold, it was corrupt; for *all flesh* had corrupted his way upon the earth.
- <sup>13</sup> And **God** said unto Noah, The end of all flesh is come *before me*; for the earth is filled with violence through them; and, behold, I will destroy them with the earth.
- <sup>14</sup> Make thee an ark of gopher wood; rooms shalt thou make in the ark, and shalt pitch it within and without with pitch.
- <sup>15</sup> And this is the fashion which thou shalt make it of: The length of the ark shall be three hundred cubits, the breadth of it fifty cubits, and the height of it thirty cubits.

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- <sup>16</sup> A window shalt thou make to the ark, and in a cubit shalt thou finish it *above*; and the door of the ark shalt thou set in the side thereof; with lower, second, and third stories shalt thou make it.
- <sup>17</sup> And, behold, I, even I, do bring a flood of waters upon the earth, to destroy *all* flesh, wherein is the breath of life, from *under* heaven; and every thing that is in the earth shall die.
- <sup>18</sup> But with thee will I establish my covenant, and thou shalt come into the ark, thou, and thy sons, and thy wife, and thy sons' wives with thee.
- <sup>19</sup> And of every living thing of *all* flesh, two of every sort shalt thou bring into the ark, to keep them alive with thee; they shall be male and female.
- <sup>20</sup> Of fowls *after* their kind, and of cattle *after* their kind, of every creeping thing of the earth *after* his kind, two of every sort shall come unto thee, to keep them alive.
- <sup>21</sup> And take thou unto thee of *all* food that is eaten, and thou shalt gather it to thee; and it shall be for food for thee, and for them.
- <sup>22</sup> Thus did **Noah**; according to *all* that **God** commanded him, so did he.

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- <sup>1</sup> And the **LORD** said unto **Noah**, Come thou and *all thy house* into the ark; for thee have I seen righteous before me in this generation.
- <sup>2</sup> Of every clean beast thou shalt take to thee by sevens, the male and his female: and of beasts that are not clean by two, the male and his female.
- <sup>3</sup> Of fowls also of the air by sevens, the male and the female; to keep seed alive upon the face of *all* the earth.
- <sup>4</sup> For yet seven days, and I will cause it to rain upon the earth forty days and forty nights; and every living substance that I have made will I destroy from *off* the face of the earth.
- <sup>5</sup> And **Noah** did according unto *all* that the **LORD** commanded him.
- <sup>6</sup> And **Noah** was six hundred years old when the flood of waters was upon the earth.
- <sup>7</sup> And **Noah** went in, and his sons, and his wife, and his sons' wives with him, into the ark, because of the waters of the flood.
- <sup>8</sup> Of clean beasts, and of beasts that are not clean, and of fowls, and of every thing that creepeth upon the earth,
- <sup>9</sup> There went in two and two unto **Noah** into the ark, the male and the female, as **God** had commanded **Noah**.
- <sup>10</sup> And it came to pass *after* seven days, that the waters of the flood were upon the earth.
- <sup>11</sup> In the six hundredth year of **Noah's** life, in the second month, the seventeenth day of the month, the same day were *all the* fountains of the great deep broken up, and the windows of heaven were opened.
- <sup>12</sup> And the rain was upon the earth forty days and forty nights.
- <sup>13</sup> In the selfsame day entered **Noah**, and **Shem**, and **Ham**, and **Japheth**, the sons of **Noah**, and **Noah's** wife, and the three wives of his sons with them, into the ark;
- <sup>14</sup> They, and every beast *after* his kind, and all the cattle *after* their kind, and every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth *after* his kind, and every fowl *after* his kind, every bird of every sort.
- <sup>15</sup> And they went in unto **Noah** into the ark, two and two of *all* flesh, wherein is the breath of life.
- <sup>16</sup> And they that went in, went in male and female of *all* flesh, as **God** had commanded him: and the **LORD** shut him in.

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- <sup>17</sup> And the flood was forty days upon the earth; and the waters increased, and bare up the ark, and it was lift up above the earth.
- <sup>18</sup> And the waters prevailed, and were increased greatly upon the earth; and the ark went upon the face of the waters.
- <sup>19</sup> And the waters prevailed exceedingly upon the earth; and *all* the high hills, that were *under* the whole heaven, were covered.
- <sup>20</sup> Fifteen cubits upward did the waters prevail; and the mountains were covered.
- <sup>21</sup> And *all* flesh died that moved upon the earth, both of fowl, and of cattle, and of beast, and of every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth, and every man.
- <sup>22</sup> *All* in whose nostrils was the breath of life, of *all* that was in the dry land, died.
- <sup>23</sup> And every living substance was destroyed which was upon the face of the ground, both man, and cattle, and the creeping things, and the fowl of the heaven; and they were destroyed from the earth: and Noah only remained alive, and they that were with him in the ark.
- <sup>24</sup> And the waters prevailed upon the earth an hundred and fifty days.

# Genesis 8

- <sup>1</sup> And **God** remembered Noah, and every living thing, and *all* the cattle that was with him in the ark: and **God** made a wind to pass over the earth, and the waters assuaged;
- <sup>2</sup> The fountains also of the deep and the windows of heaven were stopped, and the rain from heaven was restrained;
- <sup>3</sup> And the waters returned from *off* the earth *continually*. and *after* the end of the hundred and fifty days the waters were abated.
- <sup>4</sup> And the ark rested in the seventh month, on the seventeenth day of the month, upon the mountains of Ararat.
- <sup>5</sup> And the waters decreased *continually* until the tenth month: in the tenth month, on the first day of the month, were the tops of the mountains seen.
- <sup>6</sup> And it came to pass at the end of forty days, that **Noah** opened the window of the ark which he had made:
- <sup>7</sup> And he sent forth a raven, which went forth to and fro, until the waters were dried up from *off* the earth.
- <sup>8</sup> Also he sent forth a dove from him, to see if the waters were abated from *off* the face of the ground;
- <sup>9</sup> But the dove found no rest for the sole of her foot, and she returned unto him into the ark, for the waters were on the face of the whole earth: then he put forth his hand, and took her, and pulled her in unto him into the ark.
- <sup>10</sup> And he stayed yet other seven days; and again he sent forth the dove *out* of the ark;
- <sup>11</sup> And the dove came in to him in the evening; and, lo, in her mouth was an olive leaf pluckt off. so **Noah** knew that the waters were abated from *off* the earth.
- <sup>12</sup> And he stayed yet other seven days; and sent forth the dove; which returned not again unto him *any more*.
- <sup>13</sup> And it came to pass in the six hundredth and first year, in the first month, the first day of the month, the waters were dried up from *off* the earth: and **Noah** removed the covering of the ark, and looked, and, behold, the face of the ground was dry.
- <sup>14</sup> And in the second month, on the seven and twentieth day of the month, was the earth dried.
- <sup>15</sup> And **God** spake unto **Noah**, saying,

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- <sup>16</sup> Go *forth* of the ark, thou, and thy wife, and thy sons, and thy sons' wives with thee.
- <sup>17</sup> Bring forth with thee every living thing that is with thee, of *all* flesh, both of fowl, and of cattle, and of every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth; that they may breed abundantly in the earth, and be fruitful, and multiply upon the earth.
- <sup>18</sup> And **Noah** went forth, and his sons, and his wife, and his sons' wives with him:
- <sup>19</sup> Every beast, every creeping thing, and every fowl, and whatsoever creepeth upon the earth, *after* their *kinds*, went forth *out* of the ark.
- <sup>20</sup> And **Noah builded** an altar unto the **LORD**; and took of every clean beast, and of every clean fowl, and offered burnt offerings on the altar.
- <sup>21</sup> And the **LORD smelled** a sweet savour; and the **LORD** said in his heart, I will not again curse the ground any more for man's sake; for the imagination of man's heart is evil from his youth; neither will I again smite any more every thing living, as I have done.
- <sup>22</sup> While the earth remaineth, seedtime and harvest, and cold and heat, and summer and winter, and day and night shall not cease.



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- <sup>1</sup> And **God** blessed Noah and his sons, and said unto them, Be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth.
- <sup>2</sup> And the fear of you and the dread of you shall be upon every beast of the earth, and upon every fowl of the air, upon *all* that moveth upon the earth, and upon *all* the fishes of the sea; into your hand are they delivered.
- <sup>3</sup> Every moving thing that liveth shall be meat for you; even as the green herb have I given you *all* things.
- <sup>4</sup> But flesh with the life thereof, which is the blood thereof, shall ye not eat.
- <sup>5</sup> And surely your blood of your lives will I require; at the hand of every beast will I require it, and at the hand of man; at the hand of every man's brother will I require the life of man.
- <sup>6</sup> Whoso sheddeth man's blood, by man shall his blood be shed: for in the image of **God** made he man.
- <sup>7</sup> And you, be ye fruitful, and multiply; bring forth abundantly in the earth, and multiply therein.
- <sup>8</sup> And **God** spake unto **Noah**, and to his sons with him, saying,
- <sup>9</sup> And I, behold, I establish my covenant with you, and with your seed *after* you;
- <sup>10</sup> And with every living creature that is with you, of the fowl, of the cattle, and of every beast of the earth with you; from *all* that go *out* of the ark, to every beast of the earth.
- <sup>11</sup> And I will establish my covenant with you, neither shall *all* flesh be cut off *any more* by the waters of a flood; neither shall there *any more* be a flood to destroy the earth.
- <sup>12</sup> And **God** said, This is the token of the covenant which I make between me and you and every living creature that is with you, for perpetual generations:
- <sup>13</sup> I do set my bow in the cloud, and it shall be for a token of a covenant between me and the earth.
- <sup>14</sup> And it shall come to pass, when I bring a cloud over the earth, that the bow shall be seen in the cloud:
- <sup>15</sup> And I will remember my covenant, which is between me and you and every living creature of *all* flesh; and the waters shall no more become a flood to destroy *all* flesh.
- <sup>16</sup> And the bow shall be in the cloud; and I will look upon it, that I may remember the everlasting covenant between **God** and every living creature of *all* flesh that is upon the earth.
- <sup>17</sup> And **God** said unto **Noah**, This is the token of the covenant, which I have established between me and *all* flesh that is upon the earth.

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- <sup>18</sup> And the sons of **Noah**, that went forth of the ark, were **Shem**, and **Ham**, and **Japheth**: and **Ham** is the father of **Canaan**.
- <sup>19</sup> These are the three sons of **Noah**: and of them was the *whole earth overspread*.
- <sup>20</sup> And **Noah** began to be an husbandman, and he planted a vineyard:
- <sup>21</sup> And he drank of the wine, and was drunken; and he was uncovered within his tent.
- <sup>22</sup> And **Ham**, the father of **Canaan**, *saw* the nakedness of his father, and told his two brethren without.
- <sup>23</sup> And **Shem** and **Japheth** took a garment, and laid it upon both their shoulders, and *went backward*, and covered the nakedness of their father; and their faces were *backward*, and they saw not their father's nakedness.
- <sup>24</sup> And **Noah** awoke from his wine, and knew what his younger son had **done** unto him.
- <sup>25</sup> And he said, Cursed be **Canaan**; a servant of servants shall he be unto his brethren.
- <sup>26</sup> And he said, Blessed be the LORD God of **Shem**; and **Canaan** shall be his servant.
- <sup>27</sup> **God** shall enlarge **Japheth**, and he shall  dwell in the tents of **Shem**; and **Canaan** shall be his servant.
- <sup>28</sup> And **Noah** lived *after* the flood three hundred and fifty years.
- <sup>29</sup> And *all* the days of **Noah** were nine hundred and fifty years: and he died.

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- <sup>1</sup> Now these are the generations of the sons of **Noah**, **Shem**, **Ham**, and **Japheth**: and unto them were sons born *after* the flood.
- <sup>2</sup> The sons of **Japheth**; **Gomer**, and **Magog**, and **Madai**, and **Javan**, and **Tubal**, and **Meshech**, and **Tiras**.
- <sup>3</sup> And the sons of **Gomer**; **Ashkenaz**, and **Riphath**, and **Togarmah**.
- <sup>4</sup> And the sons of **Javan**; **Elishah**, and **Tarshish**, **Kittim**, and **Dodanim**.
- <sup>5</sup> By these were the isles of the **Gentiles** divided in their lands; every one *after* his tongue, *after* their families, in their nations.
- <sup>6</sup> And the sons of **Ham**; **Cush**, and **Mizraim**, and **Phut**, and **Canaan**.
- <sup>7</sup> And the sons of **Cush**; **Seba**, and **Havilah**, and **Sabtah**, and **Raamah**, and **Sabtechah**: and the sons of **Raamah**; **Sheba**, and **Dedan**.
- <sup>8</sup> And **Cush** begat **Nimrod**: he began to be a mighty one in the earth.
- <sup>9</sup> He was a mighty hunter *before* the LORD: wherefore it is said, Even as **Nimrod** the *mighty hunter before* the LORD.
- <sup>10</sup> And the beginning of his kingdom was **Babel**, and **Erech**, and **Accad**, and **Calneh**, in the land of **Shinar**.
- <sup>11</sup> *Out* of that land went forth **Asshur**, and builed **Nineveh**, and the city **Rehoboth**, and **Calah**,
- <sup>12</sup> And **Resen** between **Nineveh** and **Calah**: the same is a great city.
- <sup>13</sup> And **Mizraim** begat **Ludim**, and **Anamim**, and **Lehabim**, and **Naphtuhim**,
- <sup>14</sup> And **Pathrusim**, and **Casluhim**, (*out* of whom came **Philistim**;) and **Caphtorim**.
- <sup>15</sup> And **Canaan** begat **Sidon** his first born, and **Heth**,
- <sup>16</sup> And the **Jebusite**, and the **Amorite**, and the **Girgasite**,
- <sup>17</sup> And the **Hivite**, and the **Arkite**, and the **Sinite**,
- <sup>18</sup> And the **Arvadite**, and the **Zemarite**, and the **Hamathite**: and *afterward* were the families of the **Canaanites** spread *abroad*.
- <sup>19</sup> And the border of the **Canaanites** was from **Sidon**, as thou comest to **Gerar**, unto **Gaza**; as thou goest, unto **Sodom**, and **Gomorrah**, and **Admah**, and **Zeboim**, even unto **Lasha**.

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- <sup>20</sup> These are the sons of **Ham**, *after* their families, *after* their tongues, in their countries, and in their nations.
- <sup>21</sup> Unto **Shem** also, the father of *all* the children of **Eber**, the brother of **Japheth** the elder, even to him were children born.
- <sup>22</sup> The children of **Shem**; **Elam**, and **Asshur**, and **Arphaxad**, and **Lud**, and **Aram**.
- <sup>23</sup> And the children of **Aram**; **Uz**, and **Hul**, and **Gether**, and **Mash**.
- <sup>24</sup> And **Arphaxad** begat **Salah**; and **Salah** begat **Eber**.
- <sup>25</sup> And unto **Eber** were born two sons: the name of one was **Peleg**; for in his days was the earth divided; and his brother's name was **Joktan**.
- <sup>26</sup> And **Joktan** begat **Almodad**, and **Sheleph**, and **Hazarmaveth**, and **Jerah**,
- <sup>27</sup> And **Hadoram**, and **Uzal**, and **Diklah**,
- <sup>28</sup> And **Obal**, and **Abimael**, and **Sheba**,
- <sup>29</sup> And **Ophir**, and **Havilah**, and **Jobab**: *all* these were the sons of **Joktan**.
- <sup>30</sup> And their dwelling was from **Mesha**, as thou goest unto **Sephar** a mount of the *east*.
- <sup>31</sup> These are the sons of **Shem**, *after* their families, *after* their tongues, in their lands, *after* their nations.
- <sup>32</sup> These are the families of the sons of **Noah**, *after* their generations, in their nations: and by these were the nations divided in the earth *after* the flood.

# Genesis 11

- <sup>1</sup> And the *whole earth* was of *one language*, and of *one speech*.
- <sup>2</sup> And it came to *pass*, as they *journeyed* from the *east*, that they *found* a *plain* in the *land* of *Shinar*; and they *dwelt* there.
- <sup>3</sup> And they said one to another, *Go to*, let us make *brick*, and *burn* them *thoroughly*. And they had *brick* for *stone*, and *slime* had they for *mortar*.
- <sup>4</sup> And they said, *Go to*, let us *build* us a *city* and a *tower*, whose *top* may *reach* unto *heaven*; and let us make us a *name*, lest we be *scattered* *abroad* upon the *face* of the *whole earth*.
- <sup>5</sup> And the **LORD** *came down* to see the *city* and the *tower*, which the children of *men* *build*ed.
- <sup>6</sup> And the **LORD** said, Behold, the *people* is *one*, and they have *all one language*; and this they begin to do: and now *nothing* will be *restrained* from them, which they have *imagined* to do.
- <sup>7</sup> *Go to*, let us go *down*, and there *confound* their *language*, that they may *not understand* one another's speech.
- <sup>8</sup> So the **LORD** *scattered* them *abroad* from thence upon the *face* of *all* the *earth*: and they left *off* to *build* the *city*.
- <sup>9</sup> Therefore is the *name* of it called **Babel**; because the **LORD** did there *confound* the *language* of *all* the *earth*: and from thence did the **LORD** *scatter* them *abroad* upon the *face* of *all* the earth.
- <sup>10</sup> These are the *generations* of **Shem**: **Shem** was an *hundred years* old, and begat **Arphaxad** *two* years *after* the *flood*:
- <sup>11</sup> And **Shem** lived *after* he begat **Arphaxad** *five hundred* years, and begat sons and daughters.
- <sup>12</sup> And **Arphaxad** lived *five and thirty* years, and begat **Salah**:
- <sup>13</sup> And **Arphaxad** lived *after* he begat **Salah** *four hundred and three* years, and begat sons and daughters.
- <sup>14</sup> And **Salah** lived *thirty* years, and begat **Eber**.
- <sup>15</sup> And **Salah** lived *after* he begat **Eber** *four hundred and three* years, and begat sons and daughters.
- <sup>16</sup> And **Eber** lived *four and thirty* years, and begat **Peleg**:
- <sup>17</sup> And **Eber** lived *after* he begat **Peleg** *four hundred and thirty* years, and begat sons and daughters.
- <sup>18</sup> And **Peleg** lived *thirty* years, and begat **Reu**:

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- <sup>19</sup> And **Peleg** lived *after* he begat **Reu** two hundred and nine years, and begat sons and daughters.
- <sup>20</sup> And **Reu** lived two and thirty years, and begat **Serug**:
- <sup>21</sup> And **Reu** lived *after* he begat **Serug** two hundred and seven years, and begat sons and daughters.
- <sup>22</sup> And **Serug** lived thirty years, and begat **Nahor**:
- <sup>23</sup> And **Serug** lived *after* he begat **Nahor** two hundred years, and begat sons and daughters.
- <sup>24</sup> And **Nahor** lived nine and twenty years, and begat **Terah**:
- <sup>25</sup> And **Nahor** lived *after* he begat **Terah** an hundred and nineteen years, and begat sons and daughters.
- <sup>26</sup> And **Terah** lived seventy years, and begat **Abram**, **Nahor**, and **Haran**.
- <sup>27</sup> Now these are the generations of **Terah**: **Terah** begat **Abram**, **Nahor**, and **Haran**; and **Haran** begat **Lot**.
- <sup>28</sup> And **Haran** died *before* his father **Terah** in the land of his nativity, in **Ur** of the **Chaldees**.
- <sup>29</sup> And **Abram** and **Nahor** took them wives: the name of **Abram's** wife was **Sarai**, and the name of **Nahor's** wife, **Milcah**, the daughter of **Haran**, the father of **Milcah**, and the father of **Iscah**.
- <sup>30</sup> But **Sarai** was barren; she had no child.
- <sup>31</sup> And **Terah** took **Abram** his son, and **Lot** the son of **Haran** his son's son, and **Sarai** his daughter in *law*, his son **Abram's** wife; and they went forth with them from **Ur** of the **Chaldees**, to go into the land of **Canaan**; and they came unto **Haran**, and dwelt there.
- <sup>32</sup> And the days of **Terah** were two hundred and five years: and **Terah** died in **Haran**.

# Genesis 12

- <sup>1</sup> Now the **LORD** had said unto **Abram**, Get thee *out* of thy country, and from thy kindred, and from thy father's house, unto a land that I will shew thee:
- <sup>2</sup> And I will *make* of thee a great nation, and I will bless thee, and make thy name great, and thou shalt be a blessing.
- <sup>3</sup> And I will bless them that *bless* thee, and curse him that *curseth* thee: and *in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed*.
- <sup>4</sup> So **Abram departed**, as the **LORD** had spoken unto him; and **Lot** went with him: and **Abram** was seventy and five years old when he departed *out* of **Haran**.
- <sup>5</sup> And **Abram** took **Sarai** his wife, and **Lot** his brother's son, and *all* their substance that they had gathered, and the souls that they had gotten in **Haran**; and they went forth to go into the land of **Canaan**; and into the land of **Canaan** they came.
- <sup>6</sup> And **Abram** passed through the land unto the place of **Sichem**, unto the plain of **Moreh**. And the **Canaanite** was then in the land.
- <sup>7</sup> And the **LORD** appeared unto **Abram**, and said, Unto thy seed will I *give* this land: and there builided he an altar unto the **LORD**, who *appeared* unto him.
- <sup>8</sup> And he removed from thence unto a mountain on the *east* of **Bethel**, and pitched his tent, having **Bethel** on the *west*, and **Hai** on the *east*. and there he builided an altar unto the **LORD**, and called upon the name of the **LORD**.
- <sup>9</sup> And **Abram** journeyed, going on still *toward* the *south*.
- <sup>10</sup> And there was a famine in the land: and **Abram** went *down* into **Egypt** to sojourn there; for the famine was grievous in the land.
- <sup>11</sup> And it came to pass, when he was come *near* to enter into **Egypt**, that he said unto **Sarai** his wife, Behold now, I know that thou art a fair woman to look upon:
- <sup>12</sup> Therefore it shall come to pass, when the **Egyptians** shall see thee, that they shall say, This is his wife: and they will kill me, but they will save thee alive.
- <sup>13</sup> Say, I pray thee, thou art my *sister*: that it may be well with me for thy sake; and my soul shall live because of thee.

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- <sup>14</sup> And it came to pass, that, when **Abram** was come into **Egypt**, the **Egyptians** beheld the woman that she was **very fair**.
- <sup>15</sup> The princes also of **Pharaoh** saw her, and commended her *before Pharaoh*: and the woman was taken into **Pharaoh's** house.
- <sup>16</sup> And he entreated Abram well for her sake: and he had sheep, and oxen, and he asses, and menservants, and maidservants, and she asses, and camels.
- <sup>17</sup> And the **LORD** plagued Pharaoh and his house with **great plagues** because of **Sarai Abram's** wife.
- <sup>18</sup> And **Pharaoh** called **Abram** and said, What is this that thou hast **done** unto me? why didst thou not tell me that she was thy wife?
- <sup>19</sup> Why saidst thou, She is my *sister*? so I might have taken her to me *to wife*: now therefore behold thy wife, take her, and *go thy way*.
- <sup>20</sup> And **Pharaoh** commanded his men concerning him: and they sent him away, and his wife, and *all* that he had.



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- <sup>1</sup> And **Abram** went up *out of Egypt*, he, and his wife, and *all* that he had, and **Lot** with him, into the *south*.
- <sup>2</sup> And **Abram** was *very rich* in cattle, in silver, and in gold.
- <sup>3</sup> And he went on his journeys from the *south* even to **Bethel**, unto the place where his tent had been at the beginning, between **Bethel** and **Hai**;
- <sup>4</sup> Unto the place of the altar, which he had make there at the first: and there **Abram** called on the name of the **LORD**.
- <sup>5</sup> And **Lot** *also*, which went with **Abram**, had flocks, and herds, and tents.
- <sup>6</sup> And the land was not able to bear them, that they might dwell together: for their substance was great, so that they could not dwell together.
- <sup>7</sup> And there was a strife between the herdmen of **Abram's** cattle and the herdmen of **Lot's** cattle: and the **Canaanite** and the **Perizzite** dwelled then in the land.
- <sup>8</sup> And **Abram** said unto **Lot**, Let there be no strife, I pray thee, between me and thee, and between my herdmen and thy herdmen; for we be brethren.
- <sup>9</sup> Is not the whole land before thee? separate thyself, I pray thee, from me: if thou wilt take the left hand, then I will go to the right; or if thou depart to the right hand, then I will go to the left.
- <sup>10</sup> And **Lot** lifted up his eyes, and beheld *all* the plain of **Jordan**, that it was well watered every where, *before* the **LORD** destroyed **Sodom** and **Gomorrah**, even as the garden of the **LORD**, like the land of **Egypt**, as thou comest unto **Zoar**.
- <sup>11</sup> Then **Lot** chose him *all* the plain of **Jordan**; and **Lot** journeyed *east*: and they separated themselves the one from the other.
- <sup>12</sup> **Abram** dwelled in the land of **Canaan**, and **Lot** dwelled in the cities of the plain, and pitched his tent *toward* **Sodom**.
- <sup>13</sup> **But** the men of **Sodom** were wicked and sinnners *before* the **LORD** exceedingly.
- <sup>14</sup> And the **LORD** said unto **Abram**, *after* that **Lot** was separated from him, Lift up now thine eyes, and look from the place where thou art *northward*, and *southward*, and *eastward*, and *westward*:
- <sup>15</sup> For *all* the land which thou seest, to thee will I give it, and to thy seed *for ever*.
- <sup>16</sup> And I will make thy seed as the dust of the earth: so that if a man can number the dust of the earth, then shall thy seed also be numbered.
- <sup>17</sup> Arise, walk through the land in the length of it and in the breadth of it; for I will give it unto thee.
- <sup>18</sup> Then **Abram** removed his tent, and came and dwelt in the plain of **Mamre**, which is in **Hebron**, and built there an altar unto the **LORD**.

# Genesis 14

- <sup>1</sup> And it came to pass in the days of **Amraphel** king of **Shinar**, **Arioch** king of **Ellasar**, **Chedorlaomer** king of **Elam**, and **Tidal** king of *nations*;
- <sup>2</sup> That these made war with **Bera** king of **Sodom**, and with **Birsha** king of **Gomorrah**, **Shinab** king of **Admah**, and **Shemeber** king of **Zeboiim**, and the king of **Bela**, which is **Zoar**.
- <sup>3</sup> *All* these were joined together in the vale of **Siddim**, which is the **salt sea**.
- <sup>4</sup> Twelve years they served **Chedorlaomer**, and in the thirteenth year they rebelled.
- <sup>5</sup> And in the fourteenth year came **Chedorlaomer**, and the kings that were with him, and smote the **Rephaims** in **Ashteroth Karnaim**, and the **Zuzims** in **Ham**, and the **Emins** in **Shaveh Kiriathaim**,
- <sup>6</sup> And the **Horites** in their mount **Seir**, unto **Elparan**, which is by the wilderness.
- <sup>7</sup> And they returned, and came to **Enmishpat**, which is **Kadesh**, and smote *all* the country of the **Amalekites**, and also the **Amorites**, that dwelt in **Hazezontamar**.
- <sup>8</sup> And there went *out* the king of **Sodom**, and the king of **Gomorrah**, and the king of **Admah**, and the king of **Zeboiim**, and the king of **Bela** (the same is **Zoar**;) and they joined battle with them in the vale of **Siddim**;
- <sup>9</sup> With **Chedorlaomer** the king of **Elam**, and with **Tidal** king of *nations*, and **Amraphel** king of **Shinar**, and **Arioch** king of **Ellasar**; *four kings with five*.
- <sup>10</sup> And the vale of **Siddim** was full of *slimepits*; and the kings of **Sodom** and **Gomorrah** fled, and fell there; and they that remained fled to the mountain.
- <sup>11</sup> And they took *all* the goods of **Sodom** and **Gomorrah**, and *all* their victuals, and went their way.
- <sup>12</sup> And they took **Lot**, **Abram's** brother's son, who dwelt in **Sodom**, and his goods, and departed.
- <sup>13</sup> And there came one that had escaped, and told **Abram** the *Hebrew*, for he dwelt in the plain of **Mamre** the **Amorite**, brother of **Eshcol**, and brother of **Aner**: and these were *confederate* with **Abram**.
- <sup>14</sup> And when **Abram** heard that his brother was taken captive, he armed his trained servants, born in his own house, three hundred and eighteen, and pursued them unto **Dan**.
- <sup>15</sup> And he divided himself against them, he and his servants, by night, and smote them, and pursued them unto **Hobah**, which is on the left hand of **Damascus**.
- <sup>16</sup> And he brought back *all* the goods, and also brought again his brother **Lot**, and his goods, and the women also, and the people.

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- <sup>17</sup> And the king of **Sodom** went *out* to meet him *after* his return from the slaughter of **Chedorlaomer**, and of the kings that were with him, at the valley of **Shaveh**, which is the king's dale.
- <sup>18</sup> And **Melchizedek** king of **Salem** brought forth bread and wine: and he was the priest of the *most high God*.
- <sup>19</sup> And he blessed him, and said, **Blessed be Abram** of the *most high God*, possessor of heaven and earth:
- <sup>20</sup> And blessed be the *most high God*, which hath delivered thine enemies into thy hand. And he *gave* him tithes of all.
- <sup>21</sup> And the king of **Sodom** said unto **Abram**, Give me the persons, and take the goods to thyself.
- <sup>22</sup> And **Abram** said to the king of **Sodom**, I have lift up mine hand unto the **LORD**, the *most high God*, the possessor of heaven and earth,
- <sup>23</sup> That I will not take from a thread even to a shoelatchet, and that I will not take *any thing* that is thine, lest thou shouldest say, *I have made Abram rich*.
- <sup>24</sup> Save only that which the young men have eaten, and the portion of the men which went *with* me, **Aner**, **Eshcol**, and **Mamre**; let them take their portion.

# Genesis 15

- <sup>1</sup> *After these things* the word of the **LORD** came unto **Abram** in a vision, saying, Fear not, **Abram**: I am thy shield, and thy exceeding great reward.
- <sup>2</sup> And **Abram** said, **LORD God**, what wilt thou give me, seeing I go childless, and the steward of my house is this **Eliezer** of **Damascus**?
- <sup>3</sup> And **Abram** said, Behold, to me thou hast given no seed: and, lo, one born in my house is mine heir.
- <sup>4</sup> And, behold, the word of the **LORD** came unto him, saying, This shall not be thine heir; but he that shall come forth out of thine own bowels shall be thine heir.
- <sup>5</sup> And he brought him forth *abroad*, and said, Look now toward heaven, and tell the stars, if thou be able to number them: and he said unto him, So shall thy seed be.
- <sup>6</sup> And he believed in the LORD; and he counted it to him for righteousness.
- <sup>7</sup> And he said unto him, I am the **LORD** that brought thee *out of Ur of the Chaldees*, to *give thee this land to inherit it*.
- <sup>8</sup> And he said, **LORD God**, whereby shall I know that I shall inherit it?
- <sup>9</sup> And he said unto him, Take me an heifer of three years old, and a she goat of three years old, and a ram of three years old, and a turtledove, and a young pigeon.
- <sup>10</sup> And he took unto him *all* these, and divided them in the midst, and laid each piece one against another: but the birds divided he not.
- <sup>11</sup> And when the fowls came *down* upon the carcasses, **Abram** drove them away.
- <sup>12</sup> And when the sun was going *down*, a deep sleep fell upon **Abram**; and, lo, an horror of great darkness fell upon him.
- <sup>13</sup> And he said unto **Abram**, Know of a surety that thy seed shall be a stranger in a land that is not theirs, and shall serve them; and they shall afflict them four hundred years;
- <sup>14</sup> And also that nation, whom they shall serve, will I judge: and *afterward* shall they come *out* with great substance.
- <sup>15</sup> And thou shalt go to thy fathers in peace; thou shalt be buried in a good old age.
- <sup>16</sup> But in the fourth generation they shall come hither again: for the iniquity of the **Amorites** is not yet full.

# Genesis 15

- <sup>17</sup> And it came to pass, that, when the sun went *down*, and it was dark, behold a *smoking furnace*, and a *burning lamp* that passed between those pieces.
- <sup>18</sup> In the *same day* the **LORD** made a *covenant* with **Abram**, saying, Unto thy seed have I *given* this land, from the river of **Egypt** unto the *great river*, the *river* **Euphrates**:
- <sup>19</sup> The **Kenites**, and the **Kenizzites**, and the **Kadmonites**,
- <sup>20</sup> And the **Hittites**, and the **Perizzites**, and the **Rephaims**,
- <sup>21</sup> And the **Amorites**, and the **Canaanites**, and the **Girgashites**, and the **Jebusites**.

# Genesis 16

- <sup>1</sup> Now **Sarai Abram's** wife bare him no children: and she had an handmaid, an **Egyptian**, whose name was **Hagar**.
- <sup>2</sup> And **Sarai** said unto **Abram**, Behold now, the **LORD** hath restrained me from bearing: I pray thee, **go in** unto my maid; it may be that I may obtain children by her. And **Abram** hearkened to the voice of **Sarai**.
- <sup>3</sup> And **Sarai Abram's** wife took **Hagar** her maid the **Egyptian**, *after Abram* had dwelt ten years in the land of **Canaan**, and gave her to her husband **Abram** to be his *wife*.
- <sup>4</sup> And he **went in** unto **Hagar**, and she conceived: and when she saw that she had conceived, her mistress was despised in her eyes.
- <sup>5</sup> And **Sarai** said unto **Abram**, My wrong be upon thee: I have given my maid into thy bosom; and when she saw that she had conceived, I was despised in her eyes: the **LORD** judge between me and thee.
- <sup>6</sup> But **Abram** said unto **Sarai**, Behold, thy maid is in thine hand; do to her as it pleaseth thee. And when **Sarai** dealt hardly with her, she fled from her face.
- <sup>7</sup> And the **angel** of the **LORD** found her by a fountain of water in the wilderness, by the fountain in the way to **Shur**.
- <sup>8</sup> And he said, **Hagar**, **Sarai's** maid, whence camest thou? and whither wilt thou go? And she said, I flee from the face of my mistress **Sarai**.
- <sup>9</sup> And the **angel** of the **LORD** said unto her, Return to thy mistress, and submit thyself *under* her hands.
- <sup>10</sup> And the **angel** of the **LORD** said unto her, I will multiply thy seed exceedingly, that it shall not be numbered for multitude.
- <sup>11</sup> And the **angel** of the **LORD** said unto her, Behold, thou art *with child* and shalt bear a **son**, and shalt call his name **Ishmael**; because the **LORD** hath heard thy affliction.
- <sup>12</sup> *And he will be a wild man; his hand will be against every man, and every man's hand against him; and he shall dwell in the presence of all his brethren.*
- <sup>13</sup> And she called the name of the **LORD** that spake unto her, Thou **God** seest me: for she said, Have I also here looked *after* him that seeth me?
- <sup>14</sup> Wherefore the well was called **Beerlahairoi**; behold, it is between **Kadesh** and **Bered**.
- <sup>15</sup> And **Hagar** bare **Abram** a son: and **Abram** called his son's name, which **Hagar** bare, **Ishmael**.
- <sup>16</sup> And **Abram** was fourscore and six years old, when **Hagar** bare **Ishmael** to **Abram**.

# Genesis 17

- <sup>1</sup> And when **Abram** was ninety years old and nine, the **LORD** appeared to **Abram**, and said unto him, **I am the Almighty God**; walk before me, and be thou perfect.
- <sup>2</sup> And I will make my covenant between me and thee, and will multiply thee exceedingly.
- <sup>3</sup> And **Abram** fell on his face: and **God** talked with him, saying,
- <sup>4</sup> As for me, behold, my covenant is with thee, and thou shalt be a *father of many nations*.
- <sup>5</sup> Neither shall thy name any more be called **Abram**, but thy name shall be **Abraham**, for a father of many nations have I made thee.
- <sup>6</sup> And I will make thee *exceeding fruitful*, and I will make nations of thee, and kings shall *come out* of thee.
- <sup>7</sup> And I will establish my covenant between me and thee and thy seed after thee in their generations for an everlasting covenant, to be a **God** unto thee, and to thy seed *after thee*.
- <sup>8</sup> And I will *give* unto thee, and to thy seed after thee, the land wherein thou art a stranger, *all* the land of **Canaan**, for an *everlasting possession*; and I will be their **God**.
- <sup>9</sup> And **God** said unto **Abraham**, Thou shalt keep my covenant therefore, thou, and thy seed after thee in their generations.
- <sup>10</sup> This is my covenant, which ye shall keep, between me and you and thy seed after thee; **Every man child among you shall be circumcised**.
- <sup>11</sup> And ye shall circumcise the flesh of your *foreskin*; and it shall be a token of the covenant *betwixt* me and you.
- <sup>12</sup> And he that is eight days old shall be circumcised among you, every man child in your generations, he that is born in the house, or bought with money of any stranger, which is not of thy seed.
- <sup>13</sup> He that is born in thy house, and he that is bought with thy money, *must needs* be circumcised: and my covenant shall be in your flesh for an *everlasting* covenant.
- <sup>14</sup> And the uncircumcised man child whose flesh of his foreskin is not circumcised, that soul shall be cut off from his people; he hath broken my covenant.
- <sup>15</sup> And **God** said unto **Abraham**, As for **Sarai** thy wife, thou shalt not call her name **Sarai**, but **Sarah** shall her name be.

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- <sup>16</sup> And I will ble<sup>s</sup>s her, and *give* thee a son also of her: yea, I will ble<sup>s</sup>s her, and she shall be a mo<sup>t</sup>her of nations; ki<sup>n</sup>gs of people shall be of her.
- <sup>17</sup> Then **Abraham** fe<sup>l</sup>l upon his fa<sup>c</sup>e, and laughed, and said in his he<sup>a</sup>rt, Shall a child be bo<sup>r</sup>n unto him that is an hu<sup>n</sup>dr<sup>e</sup>d years old? and shall **Sarah**, that is ni<sup>n</sup>ety years old, be<sup>a</sup>r?
- <sup>18</sup> And **Abraham** said unto **God**, O that **Ishmael** might live *before* thee!
- <sup>19</sup> And **God** said, **Sarah** thy wi<sup>f</sup>e shall be<sup>a</sup>r thee a son indeed; and thou shalt call his na<sup>m</sup>e *Isaac*: and I will establish my co<sup>v</sup>en<sup>a</sup>nt with him for an *everlasting* covenant, and with his se<sup>e</sup>d *after* him.
- <sup>20</sup> And as for **Ishmael**, I have heard thee: Behold, I have ble<sup>s</sup>sed him, and will make him frui<sup>t</sup>ful, and will mu<sup>l</sup>tiple him *exceedingly*; twelve princes shall he be<sup>g</sup>et, and I will make him a gr<sup>e</sup>at nation.
- <sup>21</sup> But my co<sup>v</sup>en<sup>a</sup>nt will I establi<sup>s</sup>h with **Isaac**, which **Sarah** shall be<sup>a</sup>r unto thee at this se<sup>t</sup> time in the *next year*.
- <sup>22</sup> And he left *off* ta<sup>l</sup>king with him, and **God** *went up* from **Abraham**.
- <sup>23</sup> And **Abraham** took **Ishmael** his son, and *all* that were bo<sup>r</sup>n in his ho<sup>u</sup>se, and *all* that were bo<sup>u</sup>ght with his mo<sup>n</sup>ey, ev<sup>e</sup>ry ma<sup>l</sup>e among the me<sup>n</sup> of **Abraham's** house; and circumcised the fl<sup>e</sup>sh of their fo<sup>r</sup>eskin in the *selfsame* da<sup>y</sup>, as **God** had said unto him.
- <sup>24</sup> And **Abraham** was ni<sup>n</sup>ety years old and nine, when he was circumcised in the fl<sup>e</sup>sh of his fo<sup>r</sup>eskin.
- <sup>25</sup> And **Ishmael** his son was thirteen years old, when he was circumcised in the fl<sup>e</sup>sh of his fo<sup>r</sup>eskin.
- <sup>26</sup> In the *selfsame* da<sup>y</sup> was **Abraham** circumcised, and **Ishmael** his son.
- <sup>27</sup> And *all* the me<sup>n</sup> of his ho<sup>u</sup>se, bo<sup>r</sup>n in the house, and bo<sup>u</sup>ght with mo<sup>n</sup>ey of the stranger, were circumcised with him.



# Genesis 18

- <sup>1</sup> And the **LORD** *appeared* unto him in the plains of **Mamre**: and he sat in the tent door in the heat of the day;
- <sup>2</sup> And he lift up his eyes and looked, and, lo, three men stood by him: and when he saw them, he ran to meet them from the tent door, and bowed himself *toward* the ground,
- <sup>3</sup> And said, My **LORD**, if now I have found favour in thy sight, pass not away, I pray thee, from thy servant:
- <sup>4</sup> Let a *little* water, I pray you, be fetched, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves *under* the tree:
- <sup>5</sup> And I will fetch a morsel of bread, and comfort ye your hearts; *after* that ye shall pass on: for therefore are ye come to your servant. And they said, So do, as thou hast said.
- <sup>6</sup> And **Abraham** *hastened* into the tent unto **Sarah**, and said, Make ready quickly three measures of fine meal, knead it, and make cakes upon the hearth.
- <sup>7</sup> And **Abraham** ran unto the herd, and fetched a calf tender and good, and gave it unto a young man; and he hastened to dress it.
- <sup>8</sup> And he took butter, and milk, and the calf which he had dressed, and set it *before* them; and he stood by them *under* the tree, and they did eat.
- <sup>9</sup> And they said unto him, Where is Sarah thy wife? And he said, Behold, in the tent.
- <sup>10</sup> And he said, I will certainly return unto thee according to the time of life; and, lo, **Sarah** thy wife shall have a son. And **Sarah** heard it in the tent door, which was *behind* him.
- <sup>11</sup> Now **Abraham** and **Sarah** were old and well stricken in age; and it ceased to be with **Sarah** *after* the manner of women.
- <sup>12</sup> Therefore **Sarah** laughed within herself, saying, *After* I am waxed old shall I have pleasure, my lord being old *also*?
- <sup>13</sup> And the **LORD** said unto **Abraham**, Wherefore did Sarah laugh, saying, Shall I of a surety bear a child, which am old?
- <sup>14</sup> Is anything too hard for the **LORD**? At the time appointed I will return unto thee, according to the time of life, and **Sarah** shall have a son.
- <sup>15</sup> Then **Sarah** denied, saying, I laughed not; for she was afraid. And he said, Nay; but thou didst laugh.

# Genesis 18

- <sup>16</sup> And the **men rose up** from thence, and looked *toward Sodom*: and **Abraham** went with them to bring them on the way.
- <sup>17</sup> And the **LORD** said, Shall I hide from **Abraham** that thing which I do;
- <sup>18</sup> Seeing that **Abraham** shall *surely* become a **great** and **mighty nation**, and *all* the nations of the earth shall be blessed in him?
- <sup>19</sup> For I know him, that he will command his **children** and his household *after* him, and they shall keep the way of the **LORD**, to do justice and judgment; that the **LORD** may bring upon **Abraham** that which he hath spoken of him.
- <sup>20</sup> And the **LORD** said, Because the cry of **Sodom** and **Gomorrah** is great, and because their sin is **very grievous**;
- <sup>21</sup> I will go *down* now, and see whether they have done altogether according to the cry of it, which is come unto me; and if not, I will know.
- <sup>22</sup> And the **men turned** their faces from thence, and went *toward Sodom*: but **Abraham stood** yet *before* the **LORD**.
- <sup>23</sup> And **Abraham drew near**, and said, Wilt thou *also* **destroy** the righteous with the wicked?
- <sup>24</sup> *Peradventure* there be fifty righteous within the city: wilt thou *also* **destroy** and not spare the place for the fifty righteous that are therein?
- <sup>25</sup> That be *far* from thee to do *after* this manner, to **slay** the righteous with the wicked: and that the righteous should be as the wicked, that be *far* from thee: Shall not the **Judge** of *all* the earth do right?
- <sup>26</sup> And the **LORD** said, If I find in **Sodom** fifty righteous within the city, then I will spare *all* the place for their sakes.
- <sup>27</sup> And **Abraham** answered and said, Behold now, I have taken upon me to speak unto the **LORD**, which am but dust and ashes:
- <sup>28</sup> *Peradventure* there shall lack five of the fifty righteous: wilt thou **destroy** *all* the city for lack of five? And he said, If I find there forty and five, I will not destroy it. <sup>29</sup> And he spake unto him yet again, and said, *Peradventure* there shall be forty found there. And he said, I will not do it for forty's sake. <sup>30</sup> And he said unto him, Oh let not the **LORD** be angry, and I will speak: *Peradventure* there shall thirty be found there. And he said, I will not do it, if I find thirty there. <sup>31</sup> And he said, Behold now, I have taken upon me to speak unto the **LORD**: *Peradventure* there shall be twenty found there. And he said, I will not destroy it for twenty's sake. <sup>32</sup> And he said, Oh let not the **LORD** be angry, and I will speak yet but this once: *Peradventure* ten shall be found there. And he said, I will not destroy it for ten's sake. <sup>33</sup> And the **LORD** went his way, as soon as he had left communing with **Abraham**: and **Abraham returned** unto his place.

# Genesis 19

- <sup>1</sup> And there came **two angels** to **Sodom** at **even**; and **Lot sat** in the **gate** of **Sodom**: and **Lot** seeing them **rose up** to **meet** them; and he **bowed** himself with his **face toward** the **ground**;
- <sup>2</sup> And he said, Behold now, my **lords**, **turn** in, I **pray** you, into your **servant's house**, and **tarry all night**, and **wash** your **feet**, and ye shall **rise up early**, and go on your **ways**. And they said, **Nay; but we will abide in the street all night**.
- <sup>3</sup> And he **pressed** upon them **greatly**; and they **turned** in unto him, and **entered** into his **house**; and he made them a **feast**, and did **bake unleavened bread**, and they did **eat**.
- <sup>4</sup> But **before** they **lay down**, the **men** of the **city**, even the men of **Sodom**, **compassed** the **house** round, both **old** and **young**, **all** the people from **every quarter**:
- <sup>5</sup> And they called unto **Lot**, and said unto him, Where are the **men** which came in to thee this **night**? bring them out unto us, **that we may know** them.
- <sup>6</sup> And **Lot** went **out** at the **door** unto them, and **shut** the door **after** him,
- <sup>7</sup> And said, I **pray** you, brethren, do **not so wickedly**.
- <sup>8</sup> Behold now, I have **two daughters** which have **not known man**; let me, I **pray** you, bring them **out** unto you, and do ye to them as is **good** in your **eyes**: only unto these **men** do **nothing**; for therefore came they **under** the **shadow** of my **roof**.
- <sup>9</sup> And they said, **Stand back**. And they said again, This **one fellow** came in to **sojourn**, and he will needs be a **judge**: now will we **deal worse** with thee, than with them. And they **pressed sore** upon the **man**, even **Lot**, and came **near** to **break** the **door**.
- <sup>10</sup> But the **men** put forth their **hand**, and **pulled Lot** into the **house** to them, and **shut** to the **door**.
- <sup>11</sup> And they **smote** the **men** that were at the **door** of the **house** with **blindness**, both **small** and **great**: so that they **wearied** themselves to **find** the door.
- <sup>12</sup> And the **men** said unto **Lot**, Hast thou here **any besides**? son in **law**, and thy sons, and thy daughters, and whatsoever thou hast in the **city**, bring them **out** of this **place**:
- <sup>13</sup> For we will **destroy** this **place**, because the **cry** of them is **waxen great** before the **face** of the **LORD**; and the **LORD** hath **sent** us to destroy it.

# Genesis 19

- <sup>14</sup> And **Lot** went *out*, and spake unto his sons in *law*, which *married* his daughters, and said, *Up*, get you *out* of this place; for the **LORD** will destroy this city. But he seemed as one that mocked unto his sons in *law*.
- <sup>15</sup> And when the morning arose, then the **angels hastened Lot**, saying, **Arise**, take thy wife, and thy two daughters, which are here; lest thou be consumed in the iniquity of the city.
- <sup>16</sup> And while he lingered, the men laid hold upon his hand, and upon the *hand* of his wife, and upon the *hand* of his two daughters; the **LORD** being merciful unto him: and they brought him forth, and set him *without* the city.
- <sup>17</sup> And it came to pass, when they had brought them forth abroad, that he said, **Escape** for thy life; **look not behind** thee, **neither stay** thou in *all* the plain; escape to the mountain, lest thou be consumed.
- <sup>18</sup> And **Lot** said unto them, Oh, not so, my **LORD**:
- <sup>19</sup> Behold now, thy servant hath found grace in thy sight, and thou hast magnified thy mercy, which thou hast shewed unto me in saving my life; and I cannot escape to the mountain, lest some evil take me, and I die:
- <sup>20</sup> Behold now, this city is *near* to flee unto, and it is a *little* one: Oh, let me escape thither, (is it not a *little* one?) and my soul shall live.
- <sup>21</sup> And he said unto him, **See**, I have accepted thee concerning this thing also, that I will not overthrow this city, for the which thou hast spoken.
- <sup>22</sup> **Haste** thee, escape thither; for I cannot do anything till thou be come thither. Therefore the name of the city was called **Zoar**.
- <sup>23</sup> The sun was risen upon the earth when **Lot entered** into **Zoar**.
- <sup>24</sup> **Then the LORD rained** upon Sodom and upon Gomorrah **brimstone and fire** from the **LORD out of heaven**;
- <sup>25</sup> And he overthrew those cities, and *all* the plain, and *all* the inhabitants of the cities, and that which grew upon the ground.
- <sup>26</sup> **But his wife looked back** from *behind* him, and she became a **pillar of salt**.
- <sup>27</sup> And **Abraham gat up** early in the morning to the place where he stood before the **LORD**:
- <sup>28</sup> And he looked *toward* **Sodom** and **Gomorrah**, and *toward* *all* the land of the plain, and beheld, and, lo, the smoke of the country went *up* as the *smoke* of a furnace.
- <sup>29</sup> And it came to pass, when **God destroyed** the cities of the plain, that **God remembered Abraham**, and sent Lot *out* of the midst of the overthrow, when he overthrew the cities in the which **Lot dwelt**.

# Genesis 19

- <sup>30</sup> And **Lot** went *up out of Zoar*, and *dwelt* in the *mountain*, and his *two daughters* with him; for he *feared* to  *dwell* in **Zoar**: and he dwelt in a **cave**, he and his two daughters.
- <sup>31</sup> And the *firstborn* said unto the *younger*, Our *father* is *old*, and there is *not a man in the earth* to come in unto us *after the manner* of *all* the earth:
- <sup>32</sup> Come, let us make our *father* *drink wine*, and we will *lie* with him, that we may *preserve seed* of our father.
- <sup>33</sup> And they made their *father* *drink wine* that *night*: and the *firstborn* went in, and *lay* with her father; and he *perceived not* when she lay *down*, *nor* when she *arose*.
- <sup>34</sup> And it came to *pass* on the *morrow*, that the *firstborn* said unto the *younger*, Behold, I *lay yesternight* with my *father*: let us make him *drink wine* this *night also*; and go thou in, and *lie* with him, that we may *preserve seed* of our father.
- <sup>35</sup> And they made their *father* *drink wine* that *night also*: and the *younger arose*, and *lay* with him; and he *perceived not* when she lay *down*, *nor* when she *arose*.
- <sup>36</sup> Thus were both the daughters of **Lot** with child by their *father*.
- <sup>37</sup> And the *first born bare* a son, and called his *name* **Moab**: the same is the *father* of the **Moabites** unto this *day*.
- <sup>38</sup> And the *younger*, she also *bare* a son, and called his *name* **Benammi**: the same is the *father* of the children of **Ammon** unto this *day*.

# Genesis 20

- <sup>1</sup> And **Abraham** journeyed from thence *toward* the south country, and dwelled between **Kadesh** and **Shur**, and sojourned in **Gerar**.
- <sup>2</sup> And **Abraham** said of **Sarah** his wife, She is my sister: and **Abimelech** king of **Gerar** sent, and took **Sarah**.
- <sup>3</sup> But **God** came to **Abimelech** in a dream by night, and said to him, Behold, thou art but a dead man, for the woman which thou hast taken; for she is a man's wife.
- <sup>4</sup> But **Abimelech** had not come *near* her: and he said, **LORD**, wilt thou slay also a righteous nation?
- <sup>5</sup> Said he not unto me, She is my sister? and she, even she herself said, He is my brother: in the integrity of my heart and innocency of my hands have I done this.
- <sup>6</sup> And **God** said unto him in a dream, Yea, I know that thou didst this in the integrity of thy heart; for I also withheld thee from sinning against me: therefore suffered I thee not to touch her.
- <sup>7</sup> Now therefore restore the man his wife; for he is a prophet, and he shall pray for thee, and thou shalt live: and if thou restore her not, know thou that thou shalt surely die, thou, and *all* that are thine.
- <sup>8</sup> Therefore **Abimelech** rose *early* in the morning, and called *all* his servants, and told *all* these things in their ears: and the men were sore afraid.
- <sup>9</sup> Then **Abimelech** called **Abraham**, and said unto him, What hast thou done unto us? and what have I offended thee, that thou hast brought on me and on my kingdom a great sin? thou hast done deeds unto me that ought not to be done.
- <sup>10</sup> And **Abimelech** said unto **Abraham**, What sawest thou, that thou hast done this thing?
- <sup>11</sup> And **Abraham** said, Because I thought, *Surely* the fear of **God** is not in this place; and they will slay me for my wife's sake.
- <sup>12</sup> And yet indeed she is my sister; she is the daughter of my father, but not the daughter of my mother; and she became my wife.
- <sup>13</sup> And it came to pass, when **God** caused me to wander from my father's house, that I said unto her, This is thy kindness which thou shalt shew unto me; at every place whither we shall come, say of me, **He is my brother**.
- <sup>14</sup> And **Abimelech** took sheep, and oxen, and menservants, and womenservants, and *gave* them unto **Abraham**, and restored him **Sarah** his wife.

# Genesis 20

- <sup>15</sup> And **Abimelech** said, Behold, my land is *before* thee: dwell where it pleaseth thee.
- <sup>16</sup> And unto **Sarah** he said, Behold, I have given thy brother a thousand pieces of silver: behold, he is to thee a covering of the eyes, unto *all* that are with thee, and with all other: thus she was reproved.
- <sup>17</sup> So **Abraham** prayed unto **God**: and God healed **Abimelech**, and his wife, and his maidservants; and they bare children.
- <sup>18</sup> For the **LORD** had *fast* closed up *all* the wombs of the house of **Abimelech**, because of **Sarah** **Abraham's** wife.

# Genesis 21

- <sup>1</sup> And the **LORD visited Sarah** as he had said, and the **LORD** did unto **Sarah** as he had spoken.
- <sup>2</sup> For **Sarah conceived**, and **bare Abraham** a son in his **old age**, at the **set time** of which **God** had spoken to him.
- <sup>3</sup> And **Abraham** called the name of his son that was born unto him, whom **Sarah bare** to him, **Isaac**.
- <sup>4</sup> And **Abraham circumcised** his son **Isaac** being **eight days old**, as **God** had **commanded** him.
- <sup>5</sup> And **Abraham** was an **hundred years old**, when his son **Isaac** was born unto him.
- <sup>6</sup> And **Sarah** said, **God** hath made me to **laugh**, so that *all* that hear will laugh with me.
- <sup>7</sup> And she said, Who would have said unto **Abraham**, that **Sarah** should have given children **suck**? for I have born him a son in his **old age**.
- <sup>8</sup> And the child **grew**, and was **weaned**: and **Abraham** made a **great feast** the *same day* that **Isaac** was weaned.
- <sup>9</sup> And **Sarah** saw the son of **Hagar** the **Egyptian**, which she had born unto **Abraham**, **mocking**.
- <sup>10</sup> Wherefore she said unto **Abraham**, **Cast out** this **bondwoman** and her son: for the son of this bondwoman shall **not** be **heir** with my son, even with **Isaac**.
- <sup>11</sup> And the thing was **very grievous** in **Abraham's sight** because of his son.
- <sup>12</sup> And **God** said unto **Abraham**, Let it **not** be **grievous** in thy **sight** because of the **lad**, and because of thy **bondwoman**; in *all* that **Sarah** hath said unto thee, hearken unto her **voice**; for in **Isaac** shall thy **seed** be **called**.
- <sup>13</sup> And also of the son of the **bondwoman** will I make a **nation**, because he is thy **seed**.
- <sup>14</sup> And **Abraham rose up early** in the **morning**, and took **bread**, and a **bottle** of **water**, and gave it unto **Hagar**, putting it on her **shoulder**, and the child, and **sent** her **away**: and she **departed**, and **wandered** in the **wilderness** of **Beersheba**.
- <sup>15</sup> And the **water** was **spent** in the **bottle**, and she **cast** the child *under* one of the **shrubs**.
- <sup>16</sup> And she went, and **sat** her *down* over **against** him a **good way off**, as it were a **bow shot**: for she said, Let me **not** see the **death** of the child. And she sat over **against** him, and **lift up** her **voice**, and **wept**.
- <sup>17</sup> And **God** heard the **voice** of the **lad**; and the **angel** of **God** called to **Hagar** *out* of **heaven**, and said unto her, **What aileth thee, Hagar? fear not**; for **God** hath heard the **voice** of the **lad** where he is.



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- 18 **Arise, lift up the lad, and hold him in thine hand; for I will make him a great nation.**
- 19 And **God opened** her **eyes**, and she saw a **well** of **water**; and she went, and **filled** the **bottle** with water, and gave the **lad drink**.
- 20 And **God** was with the **lad**; and he **grew**, and **dwelt** in the **wilderness**, and became an **archer**.
- 21 And he **dwelt** in the **wilderness** of **Paran**: and his **mother** took him a **wife** *out* of the land of **Egypt**.
- 22 And it came to **pass** at that **time**, that **Abimelech** and **Phichol** the **chief captain** of his host spake unto **Abraham**, saying, **God** is with thee in *all* that thou doest:
- 23 Now therefore **swear** unto me here by **God** that thou wilt **not deal falsely** with me, **nor** with my son, **nor** with my son's son: but according to the **kindness** that I have done unto thee, thou shalt do unto me, and to the **land** wherein thou hast **sojourned**.
- 24 And **Abraham** said, I will **swear**.
- 25 And **Abraham reproved Abimelech** because of a **well** of **water**, which **Abimelech's servants** had **violently** taken **away**.
- 26 And **Abimelech** said, I **wot not** who hath done this **thing**; **neither** didst thou tell me, **neither** yet heard I of it, but *to day*.
- 27 And **Abraham** took **sheep** and **oxen**, and gave them unto **Abimelech**; and both of them made a **covenant**.
- 28 And **Abraham set seven ewe lambs** of the **flock** by themselves.
- 29 And **Abimelech** said unto **Abraham**, What **mean** these **seven ewe lambs** which thou hast **set** by themselves?
- 30 And he said, For these **seven ewe lambs** shalt thou take of my **hand**, that they may be a **witness** unto me, that I have **digged** this **well**.
- 31 Wherefore he called that **place Beersheba**; because there they **sware** both of them.
- 32 Thus they made a **covenant** at **Beersheba**: then **Abimelech rose up**, and **Phichol** the **chief captain** of his host, and they **returned** into the **land** of the **Philistines**.
- 33 And **Abraham planted** a **grove** in **Beersheba**, and called there on the **name** of the **LORD**, the **everlasting God**.
- 34 And **Abraham sojourned** in the **Philistines' land** *many days*.

# Genesis 22

- <sup>1</sup> And it came to pass *after* these things, that **God** did tempt Abraham, and said unto him, **Abraham**: and he said, Behold, here I am.
- <sup>2</sup> And he said, Take now thy son, thine *only* son Isaac, whom thou lovest, and get thee into the land of Moriah; and offer him there for a burnt offering upon one of the mountains which I will tell thee of.
- <sup>3</sup> And **Abraham** rose up early in the morning, and saddled his ass, and took two of his young men with him, and **Isaac** his son, and clave the wood for the burnt offering, and rose up, and went unto the place of which **God** had told him.
- <sup>4</sup> Then on the third day **Abraham** lifted up his eyes, and saw the place afar off.
- <sup>5</sup> And **Abraham** said unto his young men, Abide ye here with the ass; and I and the lad will go yonder and worship, and come again to you.
- <sup>6</sup> And **Abraham** took the wood of the burnt offering, and laid it upon **Isaac** his son; and he took the fire in his hand, and a knife; and they went both of them together.
- <sup>7</sup> And **Isaac** spake unto **Abraham** his father, and said, My father: and he said, Here am I, my son. And he said, Behold the fire and the wood: but where is the lamb for a burnt offering?
- <sup>8</sup> And **Abraham** said, My son, **God** will provide himself a lamb for a burnt offering: so they went both of them together.
- <sup>9</sup> And they came to the place which **God** had told him of; and **Abraham** built an altar there, and laid the wood in order, and bound Isaac his son, and laid him on the altar upon the wood.
- <sup>10</sup> And **Abraham** stretched forth his hand, and took the knife to slay his son.
- <sup>11</sup> And the **angel** of the **LORD** called unto him out of heaven, and said, **Abraham, Abraham**: and he said, Here am I.
- <sup>12</sup> And he said, Lay not thine hand upon the lad, neither do thou *anything* unto him: for now I know that thou fearest God, seeing thou hast not withheld thy son, thine *only* son from me.
- <sup>13</sup> And **Abraham** lifted up his eyes, and looked, and behold *behind* him a ram caught in a thicket by his horns: and **Abraham** went and took the ram, and offered him up for a burnt offering in the stead of his son.
- <sup>14</sup> And **Abraham** called the name of that place **Jehovahjireh**: as it is said to this day, In the mount of the **LORD** it shall be seen.

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- 15 And the **angel** of the **LORD** called unto **Abraham** out of heaven the second time,
- 16 And said, By myself have I sworn, saith the **LORD**, for because thou hast done this thing, and hast not withheld thy son, thine *only* son:
- 17 That in blessing I will bless thee, and in multiplying I will multiply thy seed as the stars of the heaven, and as the sand which is upon the sea shore; and thy seed shall possess the gate of his enemies;
- 18 **And in thy seed shall all the nations of the earth be blessed; because thou hast obeyed my voice.**
- 19 So **Abraham returned** unto his young men, and they rose up and went together to **Beersheba**; and **Abraham dwelt** at **Beersheba**.
- 20 And it came to pass after these things, that it was told **Abraham**, saying, Behold, **Milcah**, she hath also born children unto thy brother **Nahor**;
- 21 **Huz** his firstborn, and **Buz** his brother, and **Kemuel** the father of **Aram**,
- 22 And **Chesed**, and **Hazo**, and **Pildash**, and **Jidlaph**, and **Bethuel**.
- 23 And **Bethuel** begat **Rebekah**: these eight **Milcah** did bear to **Nahor**, **Abraham's** brother.
- 24 And his concubine, whose name was **Reumah**, she bare also **Tebah**, and **Gaham**, and **Thahash**, and **Maachah**.

# Genesis 23

- <sup>1</sup> And **Sarah** was an hundred and seven and twenty years old: these were the years of the life of **Sarah**.
- <sup>2</sup> And **Sarah died** in **Kirjatharba**; the same is **Hebron** in the land of **Canaan**: and **Abraham** came to mourn for **Sarah**, and to weep for her.
- <sup>3</sup> And **Abraham stood up** from *before* his dead, and spake unto the sons of **Heth**, saying,
- <sup>4</sup> I am a stranger and a sojourner with you: give me a possession of a buryingplace with you, that I may bury my dead *out* of my sight.
- <sup>5</sup> And the children of **Heth** answered **Abraham**, saying unto him,
- <sup>6</sup> Hear us, my lord: thou art a mighty prince among us: in the choice of our sepulchres bury thy dead; none of us shall withhold from thee his sepulchre, but that thou mayest bury thy dead.
- <sup>7</sup> And **Abraham stood up**, and bowed himself to the people of the land, even to the children of **Heth**.
- <sup>8</sup> And he communed with them, saying, If it be your mind that I should bury my dead *out* of my sight; hear me, and intreat for me to **Ephron** the son of **Zohar**,
- <sup>9</sup> That he may give me the cave of **Machpelah**, which he hath, which is in the end of his field; for as much money as it is worth he shall give it me for a possession of a buryingplace amongst you.
- <sup>10</sup> And **Ephron dwelt** among the children of **Heth**: and **Ephron** the **Hittite** answered **Abraham** in the audience of the children of **Heth**, even of *all* that went in at the gate of his city, saying,
- <sup>11</sup> **Nay**, my lord, hear me: the field give I thee, and the cave that is therein, I give it thee; in the presence of the sons of my people give I it thee: bury thy dead.
- <sup>12</sup> And **Abraham bowed down** himself *before* the people of the land.
- <sup>13</sup> And he spake unto **Ephron** in the audience of the people of the land, saying, But if thou wilt give it, I pray thee, hear me: I will give thee money for the field; take it of me, and I will bury my dead there.
- <sup>14</sup> And **Ephron** answered **Abraham**, saying unto him,
- <sup>15</sup> My lord, hearken unto me: the land is worth four hundred shekels of silver; what is that *betwixt* me and thee? bury therefore thy dead.
- <sup>16</sup> And **Abraham** hearkened unto **Ephron**; and **Abraham weighed** to **Ephron** the silver, which he had named in the audience of the sons of **Heth**, four hundred shekels of silver, current money with the merchant.

# Genesis 23

- <sup>17</sup> And the field of **Ephron** which was in **Machpelah**, which was *before Mamre*, the field, and the cave which was therein, and *all* the trees that were in the field, that were in *all* the borders round about, were made *sure*
- <sup>18</sup> Unto **Abraham** for a possession in the presence of the children of **Heth**, *before all* that went in at the gate of his city.
- <sup>19</sup> And *after* this, **Abraham buried Sarah** his wife in the cave of the field of **Machpelah** *before Mamre*: the same is **Hebron** in the land of **Canaan**.
- <sup>20</sup> And the field, and the cave that is therein, were made *sure* unto **Abraham** for a possession of a buryingplace by the sons of **Heth**.

# Genesis 24

- <sup>1</sup> And **Abraham** was old, and well stricken in age: and the **LORD** had blessed Abraham in all things.
- <sup>2</sup> And **Abraham** said unto his eldest servant of his house, that ruled over all that he had, Put, I pray thee, thy hand under my thigh:
- <sup>3</sup> And I will make thee swear by the **LORD**, the **God** of heaven, and the **God** of the earth, that thou shalt not take a wife unto my son of the daughters of the Canaanites, among whom I dwell:
- <sup>4</sup> But thou shalt go unto my country, and to my kindred, and take a wife unto my son **Isaac**.
- <sup>5</sup> And the servant said unto him, *Peradventure* the woman will not be willing to follow me unto this land: *must I needs* bring thy son again unto the land from whence thou camest?
- <sup>6</sup> And **Abraham** said unto him, Beware thou that thou bring not my son thither again.
- <sup>7</sup> The **LORD God** of heaven, which took me from my father's house, and from the land of my kindred, and which spake unto me, and that sware unto me, saying, **Unto thy seed** will I give this land; he shall send his angel *before* thee, and thou shalt take a wife unto my son from thence.
- <sup>8</sup> And if the woman will not be willing to follow thee, then thou shalt be clear from this my oath: *only* bring not my son thither again.
- <sup>9</sup> And the servant put his hand under the thigh of **Abraham** his master, and sware to him concerning that matter.
- <sup>10</sup> And the servant took ten camels of the camels of his master, and departed; for all the goods of his master were in his hand: and he arose, and went to *Mesopotamia*, unto the city of **Nahor**.
- <sup>11</sup> And he made his camels to kneel down without the city by a well of water at the time of the evening, even the time that women go *out* to draw water.
- <sup>12</sup> And he said O **LORD God** of my master Abraham, I pray thee, send me good speed this day, and shew kindness unto my master **Abraham**.
- <sup>13</sup> Behold, I stand here by the well of water; and the daughters of the men of the city come *out* to draw water:
- <sup>14</sup> And let it come to pass, that the damsel to whom I shall say, Let down thy pitcher, I pray thee, that I may drink; and she shall say, **Drink**, and I will give thy camels drink *also*: let the same be she that thou hast appointed for thy servant Isaac; and thereby shall I know that thou hast shewed kindness unto my master.

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- <sup>15</sup> And it came to pass, *before* he had done speaking, that, behold, *Rebekah* came *out*, who was born to Bethuel, son of Milcah, the wife of Nahor, Abraham's brother, with her pitcher upon her shoulder.
- <sup>16</sup> And the damsel was very fair to look upon, a virgin, neither had *any man known* her: and she went *down* to the well, and filled her pitcher, and came *up*.
- <sup>17</sup> And the servant ran to meet her, and said, Let me, I pray thee, drink a *little water* of thy pitcher.
- <sup>18</sup> And she said, Drink, my lord: and she hasted, and let down her pitcher upon her hand, and gave him drink.
- <sup>19</sup> And when she had done giving him drink, she said, I will draw water for thy camels *also*, until they have done drinking.
- <sup>20</sup> And she hasted, and emptied her pitcher into the trough, and ran again unto the well to draw water, and drew for *all* his camels.
- <sup>21</sup> And the man wondering at her held his peace, to *wit* whether the LORD had made his journey prosperous or not.
- <sup>22</sup> And it came to pass, as the camels had done drinking, that the man took a golden earring of half a shekel weight, and two bracelets for her hands of ten shekels weight of gold;
- <sup>23</sup> And said, Whose daughter art thou? tell me, I pray thee: is there room in thy father's house for us to lodge in?
- <sup>24</sup> And she said unto him, I am the daughter of Bethuel the son of Milcah, which she bare unto Nahor.
- <sup>25</sup> She said moreover unto him, We have both straw and provender enough, and room to lodge in.
- <sup>26</sup> And the man bowed down his head, and worshipped the LORD.
- <sup>27</sup> And he said, Blessed be the LORD God of my master Abraham, who hath not left destitute my master of his mercy and his truth: I being in the way, the LORD led me to the house of my master's brethren.
- <sup>28</sup> And the damsel ran, and told them of her mother's house these things.
- <sup>29</sup> And Rebekah had a brother, and his name was Laban: and Laban ran out unto the man, unto the well.
- <sup>30</sup> And it came to pass, when he saw the earring and bracelets upon his sister's hands, and when he heard the words of Rebekah his sister, saying, Thus spake the man unto me; that he came unto the man; and, behold, he stood by the camels at the well.<sup>31</sup> And he said, Come in, thou blessed of the LORD; wherefore standest thou without? for I have prepared the house, and room for the camels.<sup>32</sup> And the man came into the house: and he ungirded his camels, and gave straw and provender for the camels, and water to wash his feet, and the men's feet that were with him.

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- <sup>33</sup> And there was set meat *before* him to eat: but he said, I will not eat, until I have told mine errand. And he said, Speak on.
- <sup>34</sup> And he said, I am Abraham's servant.
- <sup>35</sup> And the **LORD** hath blessed my master *greatly*, and he is become great: and he hath given him flocks, and herds, and silver, and gold, and menservants, and maidservants, and camels, and asses.
- <sup>36</sup> And Sarah my master's wife bare a son to my master when she was old: and unto him hath he given *all* that he hath.
- <sup>37</sup> And my master made me swear, saying, Thou shalt not take a wife to my son of the daughters of the **Canaanites**, in whose land I dwell:
- <sup>38</sup> But thou shalt go unto my father's house, and to my kindred, and take a wife unto my son.
- <sup>39</sup> And I said unto my master, *Peradventure* the woman will not follow me.
- <sup>40</sup> And he said unto me, The **LORD**, before whom I walk, will send his angel with thee, and prosper thy way; and thou shalt take a wife for my son of my kindred, and of my father's house:
- <sup>41</sup> Then shalt thou be clear from this my oath, when thou comest to my kindred; and if they give not thee one, thou shalt be clear from my oath.
- <sup>42</sup> And I came this day unto the well, and said, O **LORD God** of my master **Abraham**, if now thou do prosper my way which I go:
- <sup>43</sup> Behold, I stand by the well of water; and it shall come to pass, that when the virgin cometh forth to draw water, and I say to her, Give me, I pray thee, a *little* water of thy pitcher to drink;
- <sup>44</sup> And she say to me, Both drink thou, and I will *also* draw for thy camels: let the same be the woman whom the **LORD** hath appointed out for my master's son.
- <sup>45</sup> And *before* I had done speaking in mine heart, behold, **Rebekah** came forth with her pitcher on her shoulder; and she went *down* unto the well, and drew water: and I said unto her, Let me drink, I pray thee.
- <sup>46</sup> And she made *haste*, and let down her pitcher from her shoulder, and said, Drink, and I will give thy camels drink also: so I drank, and she made the camels drink *also*.
- <sup>47</sup> And I asked her, and said, Whose daughter art thou? And she said, the daughter of **Bethuel**, **Nahor's** son, whom **Milcah** bare unto him: and I put the earring upon her face, and the bracelets upon her hands.
- <sup>48</sup> And I bowed down my head, and worshipped the **LORD**, and blessed the **LORD God** of my master **Abraham**, which had led me in the right way to take my master's brother's daughter unto his son.
- <sup>49</sup> And now if ye will deal kindly and *truly* with my master, tell me: and if not, tell me; that I may turn to the right hand, or to the left.



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- 50 Then **Laban** and **Bethuel** answered and said, The thing proceedeth from the **LORD**: we cannot speak unto thee bad or good.
- 51 Behold, **Rebekah** is *before* thee, take her, and go, and let her be thy master's son's wife, as the **LORD** hath spoken.
- 52 And it came to pass, that, when **Abraham's** servant heard their words, he worshipped the **LORD**, bowing himself to the earth.
- 53 And the servant brought forth jewels of silver, and jewels of gold, and raiment, and gave them to **Rebekah**: he gave *also* to her brother and to her mother precious things.
- 54 And they did eat and drink, he and the men that were with him, and tarried *all night*; and they rose up in the morning, and he said, Send me away unto my master.
- 55 And her brother and her mother said, Let the damsel abide with us a *few days*, at the least ten; *after* that she shall go.
- 56 And he said unto them, Hinder me not, seeing the **LORD** hath prospered my way; send me away that I may go to my master.
- 57 And they said, We will call the damsel, and enquire at her mouth.
- 58 And they called **Rebekah**, and said unto her, Wilt thou go with this man? And she said, I will go.
- 59 And they sent away **Rebekah** their sister, and her nurse, and **Abraham's** servant, and his men.
- 60 And they blessed **Rebekah**, and said unto her, Thou art our sister, be thou the mother of thousands of millions, and let thy seed possess the gate of those which hate them.
- 61 And **Rebekah** arose, and her damsels, and they rode upon the camels, and followed the man: and the servant took **Rebekah**, and went his way.
- 62 And **Isaac** came from the way of the well Lahairoi; for he dwelt in the *south country*.
- 63 And **Isaac** went *out* to meditate in the field at the eventide: and he lifted up his eyes, and *saw*, and, behold, the camels were coming.
- 64 And **Rebekah** lifted up her eyes, and when she *saw* **Isaac**, she lighted off the camel.
- 65 For she had said unto the servant, What man is this that walketh in the field to meet us? And the servant had said, It is my master: therefore she took a vail, and covered herself.
- 66 And the servant told **Isaac** *all things* that he had done.
- 67 And **Isaac** brought her into his mother **Sarah's** tent, and took **Rebekah**, and she became his wife; and he loved her: and **Isaac** was comforted *after* his mother's death.

# Genesis 25

- <sup>1</sup> Then again **Abraham** took a wife, and her name was **Keturah**.
- <sup>2</sup> And she bare him **Zimran**, and **Jokshan**, and **Medan**, and **Midian**, and **Ishbak**, and **Shuah**.
- <sup>3</sup> And **Jokshan** begat **Sheba**, and **Dedan**. And the sons of **Dedan** were **Asshurim**, and **Letushim**, and **Leummim**.
- <sup>4</sup> And the sons of **Midian**; **Ephah**, and **Epher**, and **Hanoch**, and **Abidah**, and **Eldaah**. *All* these were the children of **Keturah**.
- <sup>5</sup> **And Abraham gave all that he had unto Isaac**.
- <sup>6</sup> But unto the sons of the concubines, which **Abraham** had, **Abraham** gave gifts, and sent them away from **Isaac** his son, while he yet lived, *eastward*, unto the *east* country.
- <sup>7</sup> And these are the days of the years of **Abraham's life** which he lived, an hundred threescore and fifteen years.
- <sup>8</sup> Then **Abraham gave up the ghost**, and died in a good old age, an old man, and full of years; and was gathered to his *people*.
- <sup>9</sup> And his sons **Isaac** and **Ishmael buried** him in the cave of **Machpelah**, in the field of **Ephron** the son of **Zohar** the **Hittite**, which is *before Mamre*;
- <sup>10</sup> The field which **Abraham purchased** of the sons of **Heth**: there was **Abraham buried**, and **Sarah** his wife.
- <sup>11</sup> And it came to pass *after* the death of **Abraham**, that **God blessed** his son **Isaac**; and **Isaac dwelt** by the well Lahairoi.
- <sup>12</sup> Now these are the generations of **Ishmael**, **Abraham's** son, whom **Hagar** the **Egyptian**, **Sarah's** handmaid, bare unto **Abraham**:
- <sup>13</sup> And these are the names of the sons of **Ishmael**, by their names, according to their generations: the firstborn of **Ishmael**, **Nebajoth**; and **Kedar**, and **Adbeel**, and **Mibsam**,
- <sup>14</sup> And **Mishma**, and **Dumah**, and **Massa**,
- <sup>15</sup> **Hadar**, and **Tema**, **Jetur**, **Naphish**, and **Kedemah**:
- <sup>16</sup> These are the sons of **Ishmael**, and these are their names, by their towns, and by their castles; twelve princes according to their nations.

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- 17 And these are the years of the life of **Ishmael**, an hundred and thirty and seven years: and he gave up the ghost and died; and was gathered unto his people.
- 18 And they dwelt from **Havilah** unto **Shur**, that is *before Egypt*, as thou goest *toward Assyria*: and he died in the presence of *all* his brethren.
- 19 And these are the generations of **Isaac**, **Abraham's** son: **Abraham** begat **Isaac**:
- 20 And **Isaac** was forty years old when he took **Rebekah** to wife, the daughter of **Bethuel** the **Syrian** of **Padanaram**, the sister to **Laban the Syrian**.
- 21 And **Isaac** intreated the **LORD** for his wife, because she was barren: and the **LORD** was intreated of him, and **Rebekah** his wife conceived.
- 22 And the **children** struggled together within her; and she said, If it be so, why am I thus? And she went to enquire of the **LORD**.
- 23 And the **LORD** said unto her, Two nations are in thy womb, and two manner of people shall be separated from thy bowels; and the one people shall be stronger than the other people; and the elder shall serve the younger.
- 24 And when her days to be delivered were fulfilled, behold, there were twins in her womb.
- 25 And the first came out red, all over like an hairy garment; and they called his name **Esau**.
- 26 And *after* that came his brother out, and his hand took hold on **Esau's heel**; and his name was called **Jacob**: and **Isaac** was threescore years old when she bare them.
- 27 And the boys grew: and **Esau** was a cunning hunter, a man of the field; and **Jacob** was a plain man, dwelling in tents.
- 28 And **Isaac loved Esau**, because he did eat of his venison: but **Rebekah loved Jacob**.
- 29 And **Jacob** sod pottage: and **Esau** came from the field, and he was faint:
- 30 And **Esau** said to **Jacob**, Feed me, I pray thee, with that *same red pottage*; for I am faint: therefore was his name called **Edom**.
- 31 And **Jacob** said, Sell me this day thy birthright.
- 32 And **Esau** said, **Behold**, I am at the point to die: and what profit shall this birthright do to me?
- 33 And **Jacob** said, Swear to me this day; and he swore unto him: and he sold his birthright unto **Jacob**.
- 34 Then **Jacob** gave **Esau** bread and pottage of lentiles; and he did eat and drink, and rose up, and went his way: thus **Esau despised** his birthright.

# Genesis 26

- <sup>1</sup> And there was a **famine** in the land, beside the first famine that was in the days of **Abraham**. And **Isaac** went unto **Abimelech** king of the **Philistines** unto **Gerar**.
- <sup>2</sup> And the **LORD** **appeared** unto him, and said, **Go not down** into **Egypt**;  **dwell** in the land which I shall tell thee of:
- <sup>3</sup> **Sojourn** in this land, and I will be with thee, and will  **bless** thee; for unto thee, and unto thy seed, I will give *all* these countries, and I will **perform** the oath which I **sware** unto **Abraham** thy father;
- <sup>4</sup> And I will make thy seed to **multiply** as the stars of heaven, and will give unto thy seed *all* these countries; and in thy seed shall *all the nations of the earth be blessed*;
- <sup>5</sup> Because that **Abraham** **obeyed** my voice, and **kept** my charge, my commandments, my statutes, and my laws.
- <sup>6</sup> And **Isaac** **dwelt** in **Gerar**:
- <sup>7</sup> And the men of the place asked him of his wife; and he said, She is my sister: for he **feared** to say, She is my wife; lest, said he, the men of the place should **kill** me for **Rebekah**; because she was **fair** to look upon.
- <sup>8</sup> And it came to pass, when he had been there a *long time*, that **Abimelech** king of the **Philistines** looked *out* at a window, and saw, and, behold, **Isaac** was *sporting* with **Rebekah** his wife.
- <sup>9</sup> And **Abimelech** called **Isaac**, and said, Behold, of a **surety** she is thy wife; and how saidst thou, She is my sister? And **Isaac** said unto him, Because I said, Lest I **die** for her.
- <sup>10</sup> And **Abimelech** said, What is this thou hast done unto us? one of the people might *lightly* have **lien** with thy wife, and thou shouldest have brought **guiltiness** upon us.
- <sup>11</sup> And **Abimelech** **charged** *all* his people, saying, He that **toucheth** this man or his wife shall *surely* be put to **death**.
- <sup>12</sup> Then **Isaac** **sowed** in that land, and **received** in the same year an **hundredfold**: and the **LORD** **blessed** him.
- <sup>13</sup> And the man **waxed** *great*, and went *forward*, and **grew** until he became *very great*.
- <sup>14</sup> For he had **possession** of flocks, and possession of herds, and **great store** of servants: and the **Philistines** **envied** him.

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- 15 For *all* the wells which his father's servants had digged in the days of **Abraham** his father, the **Philistines** had stopped them, and filled them with earth.
- 16 And **Abimelech** said unto **Isaac**, Go from us; for thou art *much mightier* than we.
- 17 And **Isaac** departed thence, and pitched his tent in the valley of **Gerar**, and dwelt there.
- 18 And **Isaac** digged again the wells of water, which they had digged in the days of **Abraham** his father; for the **Philistines** had stopped them *after* the death of **Abraham**: and he called their names after the names by which his father had called them.
- 19 And **Isaac's servants** digged in the valley, and found there a well of *springing water*.
- 20 And the herdmen of **Gerar** did strive with **Isaac's** herdmen, saying, The water is ours: and he called the name of the well **Esek**; because they strove with him.
- 21 And they digged another well, and strove for that *also*: and he called the name of it **Sitnah**.
- 22 And he removed from thence, and digged another well; and for that they strove not: and he called the name of it **Rehoboth**; and he said, For now the **LORD** hath made room for us, and we shall be fruitful in the land.
- 23 And he went *up* from thence to **Beersheba**.
- 24 And the **LORD** appeared unto him the same night, and said, **I am the God of Abraham thy father: fear not, for I am with thee, and will bless thee, and multiply thy seed for my servant Abraham's sake.**
- 25 And he builded an altar there, and called upon the name of the **LORD**, and pitched his tent there: and there **Isaac's servants** digged a well.
- 26 Then **Abimelech** went to him from **Gerar**, and **Ahuzzath** one of his friends, and **Phichol** the *chief captain* of his army.
- 27 And **Isaac** said unto them, Wherefore come ye to me, seeing ye hate me, and have sent me away from you?
- 28 And they said, We saw *certainly* that the **LORD** was with thee: and we said, Let there be now an oath *betwixt* us, even *betwixt* us and thee, and let us make a covenant with thee;
- 29 That thou wilt do us no hurt, as we have not touched thee, and as we have done unto thee nothing but good, and have sent thee away in peace: thou art now the blessed of the **LORD**.
- 30 And he made them a feast, and they did eat and drink.
- 31 And they rose up *betimes* in the morning, and sware one to another: and **Isaac** sent them away, and they departed from him in peace.

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- <sup>32</sup> And it came to pass the same day, that **Isaac's servants** came, and told him concerning the well which they had digged, and said unto him, We have found water.
- <sup>33</sup> And he called it **Shebah**: therefore the name of the city is **Beersheba** unto this day.
- <sup>34</sup> And **Esau** was forty years old when he took to wife **Judith** the daughter of **Beer** the **Hittite**, and **Bashemath** the daughter of **Elon** the **Hittite**:
- <sup>35</sup> Which were a grief of mind unto **Isaac** and to **Rebekah**.

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- <sup>1</sup> And it came to pass, that when **Isaac** was old, and his eyes were dim, so that he could not see, he called **Esau** his eldest son, and said unto him, My son: and he said unto him, Behold, here am I.
- <sup>2</sup> And he said, Behold now, I am old, I know not the day of my death:
- <sup>3</sup> Now therefore take, I pray thee, thy weapons, thy quiver and thy bow, and go *out* to the field, and take me some venison;
- <sup>4</sup> And make me savoury meat, such as I love, and bring it to me, that I may eat; that my soul may bless thee *before* I die.
- <sup>5</sup> And **Rebekah** heard when **Isaac** spake to **Esau** his son. And **Esau** went to the field to hunt for venison, and to bring it.
- <sup>6</sup> And **Rebekah** spake unto **Jacob** her son, saying, Behold, I heard thy father speak unto **Esau** thy brother, saying,
- <sup>7</sup> Bring me venison, and make me savoury meat, that I may eat, and bless thee *before* the **LORD** *before* my death.
- <sup>8</sup> Now therefore, my son, obey my voice according to that which I command thee.
- <sup>9</sup> Go now to the flock, and fetch me from thence two good kids of the goats; and I will make them savoury meat for thy father, such as he loveth:
- <sup>10</sup> And *thou* shalt bring it to thy father, that he may eat, and that he may bless thee *before* his death.
- <sup>11</sup> And **Jacob** said to **Rebekah** his mother, Behold, **Esau** my brother is a hairy man, and I am a smooth man:
- <sup>12</sup> My father *peradventure* will feel me, and I shall seem to him as a deceiver, and I shall bring a curse upon me, and not a blessing.
- <sup>13</sup> And his mother said unto him, **Upon me** be thy curse, my son: only obey my voice, and go fetch me them.
- <sup>14</sup> And he went, and fetches, and brought them to his mother: and his mother made savoury meat, such as his father loved.
- <sup>15</sup> And **Rebekah** took goodly raiment of her eldest son **Esau**, which were with her in the house, and put them upon **Jacob** her younger son:

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- <sup>16</sup> And she put the skins of the kids of the goats upon his hands, and upon the smooth of his neck:
- <sup>17</sup> And she gave the savoury meat and the bread, which she had prepared, into the hand of *her* son **Jacob**.
- <sup>18</sup> And he came unto his father, and said, My father: and he said, Here am I; who art thou, my son?
- <sup>19</sup> And **Jacob** said unto his father, I am **Esau** thy first born; I have done according as thou badest me: arise, I pray thee, sit and eat of my venison, that thy soul may bless me.
- <sup>20</sup> And **Isaac** said unto his son, How is it that thou hast found it so quickly, my son? And he said, Because the **LORD** thy **God** brought it to me.
- <sup>21</sup> And **Isaac** said unto **Jacob**, Come *near*, I pray thee, that I may feel thee, my son, whether thou be my very son **Esau** or not.
- <sup>22</sup> And **Jacob** went *near* unto **Isaac** his father; and he felt him, and said, The voice is **Jacob's** voice, but the hands are the hands of **Esau**.
- <sup>23</sup> And he discerned him not, because his hands were hairy, as his brother **Esau's** hands: **so he blessed him**.
- <sup>24</sup> And he said, Art thou my very son **Esau**? And he said, **I am**.
- <sup>25</sup> And he said, Bring it *near* to me, and I will eat of my son's venison, that my soul may bless thee. And he brought it *near* to him, and he did eat: and he brought him wine and he drank.
- <sup>26</sup> And his father **Isaac** said unto him, Come *near* now, and kiss me, my son.
- <sup>27</sup> And he came *near*, and kissed him: and he smelled the smell of his raiment, and blessed him, and said, See, the smell of my son is as the smell of a field which the **LORD** hath blessed:
- <sup>28</sup> **Therefore God** give thee of the dew of heaven, and the fatness of the earth, and plenty of corn and wine:
- <sup>29</sup> **Let people serve** thee, and nations bow down to thee: be lord over thy brethren, and let thy mother's sons bow down to thee: cursed be every one that curseth thee, and blessed be he that blesseth thee.
- <sup>30</sup> And it came to pass, as soon as **Isaac** had made an end of blessing Jacob, and **Jacob** was yet scarce gone *out* from the presence of **Isaac** his father, that **Esau** his brother came in from his hunting.
- <sup>31</sup> And he also had made savoury meat, and brought it unto his father, and said unto his father, Let my father arise, and eat of his son's venison, that thy soul may bless me.
- <sup>32</sup> And **Isaac** his father said unto him, Who art thou? And he said, I am thy son, thy firstborn **Esau**.



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- <sup>33</sup> And **Isaac** trembled *very exceedingly*, and said, Who? where is he that hath taken venison, and brought it me, and I have eaten of *all before* thou camest, and have blessed him? **yea, and he shall be blessed.**
- <sup>34</sup> And when **Esau** heard the words of his father, he cried with a **great** and **exceeding bitter cry**, and said unto his father, **Bless** me, even me *also*, O my father.
- <sup>35</sup> And he said, Thy brother came with subtilty, and hath taken away thy  **blessing**.
- <sup>36</sup> And he said, Is not he rightly named **Jacob**? for he hath supplanted me these two times: he took away my birthright; and, behold, now he hath taken away my  blessing. And he said, Hast thou not reserved a blessing for me?
- <sup>37</sup> And **Isaac** answered and said unto **Esau**, Behold, I have made him thy lord, and *all* his brethren have I given to him for servants; and with corn and wine have I sustained him: and *what shall I do now unto thee*, my son?
- <sup>38</sup> And **Esau** said unto his father, Hast thou but **one blessing**, my father? *ble*ss me, even me *also*, O my father. And **Esau** lifted up his voice, and wept.
- <sup>39</sup> And **Isaac** his father answered and said unto him, Behold, thy dwelling shall be the fatness of the earth, and of the dew of heaven from above;
- <sup>40</sup> And by thy sword shalt thou live, and shalt serve thy brother; and it shall come to pass when thou shalt have the dominion, that thou shalt break his yoke from off thy neck.
- <sup>41</sup> And **Esau** hated **Jacob** because of the blessing wherewith his father blessed him: and **Esau** said in his heart, The days of mourning for my father are at hand; then will I slay my brother **Jacob**.
- <sup>42</sup> And these words of **Esau** her elder son were told to **Rebekah**: and she sent and called **Jacob** her younger son, and said unto him, Behold, thy brother **Esau**, as touching thee, doth comfort himself, purposing to kill thee.
- <sup>43</sup> Now therefore, my son, obey my voice; arise, flee thou to **Laban** my brother to **Haran**;
- <sup>44</sup> And tarry with him a few days, until thy brother's fury turn away;
- <sup>45</sup> Until thy brother's anger turn away from thee, and he forget that which thou hast done to him: then I will send, and fetch thee from thence: why should I be deprived also of you both in one day?
- <sup>46</sup> And **Rebekah** said to **Isaac**, I am weary of my life because of the daughters of **Heth**: if **Jacob** take a wife of the daughters of **Heth**, such as these which are of the daughters of the land, what good shall my life do me?

# Genesis 28

- <sup>1</sup> And **Isaac** called **Jacob**, and **blessed** him, and **charged** him, and said unto him, Thou shalt **not** take a wife of the daughters of **Canaan**.
- <sup>2</sup> **Arise**, go to **Padanaram**, to the house of **Bethuel** thy mother's father; and take thee a wife from thence of the daughters of **Laban** thy mother's brother.
- <sup>3</sup> And **God Almighty** **ble**ss thee, and make thee **fruitful**, and **multiply** thee, that thou mayest be a **multitude** of people;
- <sup>4</sup> And give thee the **ble**ssing of **Abraham**, to thee, and to thy **seed** with thee; that thou mayest **inherit** the land wherein thou art a **stranger**, which **God** gave unto **Abraham**.
- <sup>5</sup> And **Isaac** sent away **Jacob**: and he went to **Padanaram** unto **Laban**, son of **Bethuel** the **Syrian**, the brother of **Rebekah**, **Jacob's** and **Esau's** mother.
- <sup>6</sup> When **Esau** saw that **Isaac** had **blessed** **Jacob**, and sent him away to **Padanaram**, to take him a wife from thence; and that as he blessed him he gave him a **charge**, saying, Thou shalt **not** take a wife of the daughters of **Canaan**;
- <sup>7</sup> And that **Jacob** **obeyed** his father and his mother, and was gone to **Padanaram**;
- <sup>8</sup> And **Esau** seeing that the daughters of **Canaan** **pleased not** **Isaac** his father;
- <sup>9</sup> Then went **Esau** unto **Ishmael**, and took unto the wives which he had **Mahalath** the daughter of **Ishmael** **Abraham's** son, the sister of **Nebajoth**, to be his wife.
- <sup>10</sup> And **Jacob** went *out* from **Beersheba**, and went *toward* **Haran**.
- <sup>11</sup> And he **lighted** upon a **certain place**, and **tarried** there *all night*, because the **sun** was **set**; and he took of the **stones** of that place, and put them for his **pillows**, and **lay down** in that place to **sleep**.
- <sup>12</sup> And he **dreamed**, and behold a **ladder set up on the earth**, and the **top of it reached to heaven**: and behold the **angels of God** **ascending** and **descending** on it.
- <sup>13</sup> And, behold, the **LORD** **stood** *above* it, and said, **I am** the **LORD** God of **Abraham** thy father, and the **God of Isaac**: the land whereon thou liest, to thee will I give it, and to thy **seed**;
- <sup>14</sup> And thy **seed** shall be as the dust of the earth, and thou shalt **spread** *abroad* to the *west*, and to the *east*, and to the *north*, and to the *south*: and in thee and in thy seed shall *all* the **families** of the **earth** be **blessed**.

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- <sup>15</sup> And, behold, *I am* with thee, and will keep thee in all places whither thou goest, and will bring thee again into this land; for I will not leave thee, until I have done that which I have spoken to thee of.
- <sup>16</sup> And Jacob awaked out of his sleep, and he said, *Surely* the LORD is in this place; and I knew it not.
- <sup>17</sup> And he was afraid, and said, How dreadful is this place! this is *none other but the house* of God, and this is the gate of heaven.
- <sup>18</sup> And Jacob rose up early in the morning, and took the stone that he had put for his pillows, and set it *up* for a pillar, and poured oil upon the top of it.
- <sup>19</sup> And he called the name of that place *Bethel*. but the name of that city was called Luz at the first.
- <sup>20</sup> And Jacob vowed a vow, saying, If God will be with me, and will keep me in this way that I go, and will give me bread to eat, and raiment to put on,
- <sup>21</sup> So that I come again to my father's house in peace; then shall the LORD be my God:
- <sup>22</sup> And this stone, which I have set for a pillar, shall be God's house: and of *all* that thou shalt give me I will *surely give the tenth unto thee*.

# Genesis 29

- <sup>1</sup> Then **Jacob** went on his journey, and came into the land of the people of the *east*.
- <sup>2</sup> And he looked, and behold a well in the field, and, lo, there were three flocks of sheep lying by it; for *out* of that well they watered the flocks: and a great stone was upon the well's mouth.
- <sup>3</sup> And thither were *all* the flocks gathered: and they rolled the stone from the well's mouth, and watered the sheep, and put the stone again upon the well's mouth in his place.
- <sup>4</sup> And **Jacob** said unto them, My brethren, whence be ye? And they said, Of **Haran** are we.
- <sup>5</sup> And he said unto them, Know ye **Laban** the son of **Nahor**? And they said, We know him.
- <sup>6</sup> And he said unto them, Is he well? And they said, He is well: and, behold, **Rachel** his daughter cometh with the sheep.
- <sup>7</sup> And he said, Lo, it is yet *high day*, neither is it time that the cattle should be gathered together: water ye the sheep, and go and feed them.
- <sup>8</sup> And they said, We cannot, until *all* the flocks be gathered together, and till they roll the stone from the well's mouth; then we water the sheep.
- <sup>9</sup> And while he yet spake with them, **Rachel** came with her father's sheep; for she kept them.
- <sup>10</sup> And it came to pass, when **Jacob** saw **Rachel** the daughter of **Laban** his mother's brother, and the sheep of **Laban** his mother's brother, that **Jacob** went *near*, and rolled the stone from the well's mouth, and watered the flock of **Laban** his mother's brother.
- <sup>11</sup> And **Jacob** kissed Rachel, and lifted up his voice, and wept.
- <sup>12</sup> And **Jacob** told **Rachel** that he was her father's brother, and that he was **Rebekah's** son: and she ran and told her father.
- <sup>13</sup> And it came to pass, when **Laban** heard the tidings of **Jacob** his sister's son, that he ran to meet him, and embraced him, and kissed him, and brought him to his house. And he told **Laban** *all* these things.
- <sup>14</sup> And **Laban** said to him, *Surely* thou art my bone and my flesh. And he abode with him the space of a month.
- <sup>15</sup> And **Laban** said unto **Jacob**, Because thou art my brother, shouldest thou therefore serve me for nought? tell me, what shall thy wages be?

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- <sup>16</sup> And **Laban** had two daughters: the name of the elder was **Leah**, and the name of the younger was **Rachel**.
- <sup>17</sup> **Leah** was tender eyed; but **Rachel** was beautiful and well favoured.
- <sup>18</sup> And **Jacob** loved Rachel; and said, I will serve thee seven years for **Rachel** thy younger daughter.
- <sup>19</sup> And **Laban** said, It is better that I give her to thee, than that I should give her to another man: abide with me.
- <sup>20</sup> And **Jacob** served seven years for **Rachel**; and they seemed unto him but a few days, for the love he had to her.
- <sup>21</sup> And **Jacob** said unto **Laban**, **Give me my wife**, for my days are fulfilled, that I may **go in** unto her.
- <sup>22</sup> And **Laban** gathered together *all* the men of the place, and made a feast.
- <sup>23</sup> And it came to pass in the evening, that he took **Leah** his daughter, and brought her to him; and he went in unto her.
- <sup>24</sup> And **Laban** gave unto his daughter **Leah** Zilpah his maid for an handmaid.
- <sup>25</sup> And it came to pass, that in the morning, **behold, it was Leah**: and he said to **Laban**, What is this thou hast done unto me? did not I serve with thee for **Rachel**? wherefore then hast thou beguiled me?
- <sup>26</sup> And **Laban** said, It *must not* be so done in our country, to give the younger *before* the firstborn.
- <sup>27</sup> Fulfil her week, and we will give thee this *also* for the service which thou shalt serve with me yet seven other years.
- <sup>28</sup> And **Jacob** did so, and fulfilled her week: and he gave him **Rachel** his daughter to wife *also*.
- <sup>29</sup> And **Laban** gave to **Rachel** his daughter Bilhah his handmaid to be her maid.
- <sup>30</sup> And he went in *also* unto **Rachel**, and he loved *also* **Rachel** *more* than **Leah**, and served with him yet seven other years.
- <sup>31</sup> And when the **LORD** saw that **Leah** was hated, he opened her womb: but **Rachel** was barren.
- <sup>32</sup> And **Leah** conceived, and bare a son, and she called his name **Reuben**: for she said, **Surely** the **LORD** hath looked upon my affliction; now therefore my husband will love me.
- <sup>33</sup> And she conceived again, and bare a son; and said, Because the **LORD** hath heard I was hated, he hath therefore given me this son *also*: and she called his name **Simeon**. <sup>34</sup> And she conceived again, and bare a son; and said, Now this time will my husband be joined unto me, because I have born him three sons: therefore was his name called **Levi**. <sup>35</sup> And she conceived again, and bare a son: and she said, **Now will I praise the LORD**: therefore she called his name **Judah**; and left bearing.

# Genesis 30

- <sup>1</sup> And when **Rachel** saw that she bare Jacob no children, **Rachel** envied her sister; and said unto **Jacob**, **Give me children, or else I die.**
- <sup>2</sup> And **Jacob's** anger was kindled against **Rachel**: and he said, Am I in **God's** stead, who hath withheld from thee the fruit of the womb?
- <sup>3</sup> And she said, Behold my maid **Bilhah**, *go in* unto her; and she shall bear upon my knees, that I may also have children by her.
- <sup>4</sup> And she gave him **Bilhah** her handmaid to wife: and **Jacob** *went in* unto her.
- <sup>5</sup> And **Bilhah** conceived, and bare Jacob a son.
- <sup>6</sup> And **Rachel** said, **God** hath judged me, and hath also heard my voice, and hath given me a son: therefore called she his name **Dan**.
- <sup>7</sup> And **Bilhah** **Rachel's** maid conceived again, and bare Jacob a second son.
- <sup>8</sup> And **Rachel** said, With great wrestlings have I wrestled with my sister, and I have prevailed: and she called his name **Naphtali**.
- <sup>9</sup> When **Leah** saw that she had left bearing, she took **Zilpah** her maid, and gave her **Jacob** to wife.
- <sup>10</sup> And **Zilpah** **Leah's** maid bare Jacob a son.
- <sup>11</sup> And **Leah** said, A troop cometh: and she called his name **Gad**.
- <sup>12</sup> And **Zilpah** **Leah's** maid bare Jacob a second son.
- <sup>13</sup> And **Leah** said, Happy am I, for the daughters will call me blessed: and she called his name **Asher**.
- <sup>14</sup> And **Reuben** went in the days of wheat harvest, and found mandrakes in the field, and brought them unto his mother **Leah**. Then **Rachel** said to **Leah**, Give me, I pray thee, of thy son's *mandrakes*.
- <sup>15</sup> And she said unto her, Is it a *small matter* that thou hast taken *my husband*? and wouldest thou take away my son's mandrakes also? And **Rachel** said, Therefore he shall lie with thee *to night* for thy son's mandrakes.
- <sup>16</sup> And **Jacob** came *out* of the field in the evening, and **Leah** went *out* to meet him, and said, Thou must come in unto me; for *surely* I have hired thee with my son's mandrakes. And he lay with her that night.
- <sup>17</sup> And **God** hearkened unto **Leah**, and she conceived, and bare Jacob the fifth son.

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- 18 And **Leah** said, **God** hath given me my hire, because I have given my maiden to my husband: and she called his name **Issachar**.
- 19 And **Leah** conceived again, and bare **Jacob** the sixth son.
- 20 And **Leah** said, **God** hath endued me with a **good dowry**; now will my husband dwell with me, because I have born him six sons: and she called his name **Zebulun**.
- 21 And *afterwards* she bare a daughter, and called her name **Dinah**.
- 22 And **God** remembered Rachel, and **God** hearkened to her, and opened her womb.
- 23 And she conceived, and bare a son; and said, **God** hath taken away my reproach:
- 24 And she called his name **Joseph**; and said, The **LORD** shall add to me another son.
- 25 And it came to pass, when **Rachel** had born **Joseph**, that **Jacob** said unto **Laban**, Send me away, that I may go unto mine own place, and to my country.
- 26 Give me my wives and my children, for whom I have served thee, and let me go: for thou knowest my service which I have done thee.
- 27 And **Laban** said unto him, I pray thee, if I have found favour in thine eyes, tarry: for I have learned by experience that the **LORD** hath blessed me for thy sake.
- 28 And he said, Appoint me thy wages, and I will give it.
- 29 And he said unto him, Thou knowest how I have served thee, and how thy cattle was with me.
- 30 For it was *little* which thou hadst *before* I came, and it is now increased unto a multitude; and the **LORD** hath blessed thee since my coming: **and now when shall I provide for mine own house also?**
- 31 And he said, What shall I give thee? And **Jacob** said, Thou shalt not give me any thing: if thou wilt do this thing for me, I will again feed and keep thy flock.
- 32 I will pass through *all* thy flock to day, removing from thence *all* the **speckled** and **spotted cattle**, and *all* the **brown** cattle among the sheep, and the spotted and speckled among the goats: and of such shall be my hire.
- 33 So shall my righteousness answer for me in time to come, when it shall come for my hire *before* thy face: every one that is not speckled and spotted among the goats, and brown among the sheep, that shall be counted stolen with me.
- 34 And **Laban** said, Behold, I would it might be according to thy word.
- 35 And he removed that day the *he* goats that were ringstraked and spotted, and *all* the *she* goats that were speckled and spotted, and every one that had some white in it, and *all* the brown among the sheep, and gave them into the hand of his sons.

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- <sup>36</sup> And he set three days' journey betwixt himself and **Jacob**: and **Jacob fed** the rest of Laban's flocks.
- <sup>37</sup> And **Jacob** took him rods of green poplar, and of the hazel and chesnut tree; and pilled white strakes in them, and made the white appear which was in the rods.
- <sup>38</sup> And he set the rods which he had pilled before the flocks in the gutters in the watering troughs when the flocks came to drink, that they should conceive when they came to drink.
- <sup>39</sup> And the flocks conceived before the rods, and brought forth cattle ringstraked, speckled, and spotted.
- <sup>40</sup> And **Jacob** did separate the lambs, and set the faces of the flocks toward the ringstraked, and *all* the brown in the flock of **Laban**; and he put his *own* flocks by themselves, and put them not unto **Laban's** cattle.
- <sup>41</sup> And it came to pass, whensoever the stronger cattle did conceive, that **Jacob laid** the rods before the eyes of the cattle in the gutters, that they might conceive among the rods.
- <sup>42</sup> But when the cattle were feeble, he put them not in: so the feebler were **Laban's**, and the stronger **Jacob's**.
- <sup>43</sup> And the man increased exceedingly, and had *much* cattle, and maidservants, and menservants, and camels, and asses.



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- <sup>1</sup> And he heard the words of **Laban's** sons, saying, **Jacob** hath taken away *all* that was our father's; and of that which was our father's hath he gotten *all* this glory.
- <sup>2</sup> And **Jacob** beheld the countenance of **Laban**, and, behold, it was not *toward* him as *before*.
- <sup>3</sup> And the **LORD** said unto **Jacob**, Return unto the land of thy fathers, and to thy kindred; and I will be with thee.
- <sup>4</sup> And **Jacob** sent and called **Rachel** and **Leah** to the field unto his flock,
- <sup>5</sup> And said unto them, I see your father's countenance, that it is not *toward* me as *before*; but the **God** of my father hath been with me.
- <sup>6</sup> And ye know that with *all* my power I have served your father.
- <sup>7</sup> And your father hath deceived me, and changed my wages ten times; but **God** suffered him not to hurt me.
- <sup>8</sup> If he said thus, The speckled shall be thy wages; then *all* the cattle bare speckled: and if he said thus, The ringstraked shall be thy hire; then bare *all* the cattle ringstraked.
- <sup>9</sup> Thus **God** hath taken away the cattle of your father, and given them to me.
- <sup>10</sup> And it came to pass at the time that the cattle conceived, that I lifted up mine eyes, and saw in a dream, and, behold, the rams which leaped upon the cattle were ringstraked, speckled, and grisled.
- <sup>11</sup> And the **angel** of **God** spake unto me in a dream, saying, **Jacob**: And I said, Here am I.
- <sup>12</sup> And he said, Lift up now thine eyes, and see, *all* the rams which leap upon the cattle are ringstraked, speckled, and grisled: for I have seen *all* that **Laban** doeth unto thee.
- <sup>13</sup> **I am** the **God** of **Bethel**, where thou anointedst the pillar, and where thou vowedst a vow unto me: now arise, get thee out from this land, and return unto the land of thy kindred.
- <sup>14</sup> And **Rachel** and **Leah** answered and said unto him, Is there yet *any* portion or inheritance for us in our father's house?
- <sup>15</sup> Are we not counted of him strangers? for he hath sold us, and hath quite devoured also our money.
- <sup>16</sup> For *all* the riches which **God** hath taken from our father, that is ours, and our children's: now then, whatsoever **God** hath said unto thee, do.
- <sup>17</sup> Then **Jacob** rose up, and set his sons and his wives upon camels;

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- 18 And he carried away all his cattle, and all his goods which he had gotten, the cattle of his getting, which he had gotten in Padanaram, for to go to Isaac his father in the land of Canaan.
- 19 And Laban went to shear his sheep: and Rachel had stolen the images that were her father's.
- 20 And Jacob stole away unawares to Laban the Syrian, in that he told him not that he fled.
- 21 So he fled with all that he had; and he rose up, and passed over the river, and set his face toward the mount Gilead.
- 22 And it was told Laban on the third day that Jacob was fled.
- 23 And he took his brethren with him, and pursued after him seven days' journey; and they overtook him in the mount Gilead.
- 24 And God came to Laban the Syrian in a dream by night, and said unto him, Take heed that thou speak not to Jacob either good or bad.
- 25 Then Laban overtook Jacob. Now Jacob had pitched his tent in the mount: and Laban with his brethren pitched in the mount of Gilead.
- 26 And Laban said to Jacob, What hast thou done, that thou hast stolen away unawares to me, and carried away my daughters, as captives taken with the sword?
- 27 Wherefore didst thou flee away secretly, and steal away from me; and didst not tell me, that I might have sent thee away with mirth, and with songs, with tabret, and with harp?
- 28 And hast not suffered me to kiss my sons and my daughters? thou hast now done foolishly in so doing.
- 29 It is in the power of my hand to do you hurt: but the God of your father spake unto me yesternight, saying, Take thou heed that thou speak not to Jacob either good or bad.
- 30 And now, though thou wouldest needs be gone, because thou sore longedst after thy father's house, yet wherefore hast thou stolen my gods?
- 31 And Jacob answered and said to Laban, Because I was afraid: for I said, Peradventure thou wouldest take by force thy daughters from me.
- 32 With whomsoever thou findest thy gods, let him not live: before our brethren discern thou what is thine with me, and take it to thee. For Jacob knew not that Rachel had stolen them.
- 33 And Laban went into Jacob's tent, and into Leah's tent, and into the two maidservants' tents; but he found them not. Then went he out of Leah's tent, and entered into Rachel's tent.
- 34 Now Rachel had taken the images, and put them in the camel's furniture, and sat upon them. And Laban searched all the tent, but found them not.

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- <sup>35</sup> And she said to her father, Let it not displease my lord that I cannot rise up before thee; for the custom of women is upon me. And he searched but found not the images.
- <sup>36</sup> And **Jacob** was wroth, and chode with **Laban**: and **Jacob** answered and said to **Laban**, What is my trespass? what is my sin, that thou hast so hotly pursued after me?
- <sup>37</sup> Whereas thou hast searched all my stuff, what hast thou found of all thy household stuff? set it here before my brethren and thy brethren, that they may judge betwixt us both.
- <sup>38</sup> This twenty years have I been with thee; thy ewes and thy she goats have not cast their young, and the rams of thy flock have I not eaten.
- <sup>39</sup> That which was torn of beasts I brought not unto thee; I bare the loss of it; of my hand didst thou require it, whether stolen by day, or stolen by night.
- <sup>40</sup> Thus I was; in the day the drought consumed me, and the frost by night; and my sleep departed from mine eyes.
- <sup>41</sup> Thus have I been twenty years in thy house; I served thee fourteen years for thy two daughters, and six years for thy cattle: and thou hast changed my wages ten times.
- <sup>42</sup> Except the **God** of my father, the **God** of **Abraham**, and the fear of **Isaac**, had been with me, surely thou hadst sent me away now empty. **God** hath seen mine affliction and the labour of my hands, and rebuked thee yesternight.
- <sup>43</sup> And **Laban** answered and said unto **Jacob**, These daughters are *my daughters*, and these children are *my children*, and these cattle are *my cattle*, and *all* that thou seest is *mine*: and what can I do this day unto these my daughters, or unto their children which they have born?
- <sup>44</sup> Now therefore come thou, let us make a covenant, I and thou; and let it be for a witness between me and thee.
- <sup>45</sup> And **Jacob** took a stone, and set it up for a pillar.
- <sup>46</sup> And **Jacob** said unto his brethren, Gather stones; and they took stones, and made an heap: and they did eat there upon the heap.
- <sup>47</sup> And **Laban** called it **Jegarsahadutha**: but **Jacob** called it **Galeed**.
- <sup>48</sup> And **Laban** said, This heap is a witness between me and thee this day. Therefore was the name of it called **Galeed**;
- <sup>49</sup> And **Mizpah**; for he said, The **LORD** watch between me and thee, when we are absent one from another.

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- <sup>50</sup> If thou shalt afflict my daughters, or if thou shalt take other wives beside my daughters, no man is with us; see, **God** is witness betwixt me and thee.
- <sup>51</sup> And **Laban** said to **Jacob**, Behold this heap, and behold this pillar, which I have cast *betwixt* me and thee:
- <sup>52</sup> This heap be witness, and this pillar be witness, that I will not pass over this heap to thee, and that thou shalt not pass over this heap and this pillar unto me, for harm.
- <sup>53</sup> The **God** of **Abraham**, and the **God** of **Nahor**, the **God** of their father, judge betwixt us. And **Jacob** sware by the fear of his father **Isaac**.
- <sup>54</sup> Then **Jacob offered sacrifice** upon the mount, and called his brethren to eat bread: and they did eat bread, and tarried *all night* in the mount.
- <sup>55</sup> And *early* in the morning **Laban** rose up, and kissed his sons and his daughters, and blessed them: and **Laban** departed, and returned unto his place.

# Genesis 32

- <sup>1</sup> And **Jacob** went on his way, and the **angels of God met him**.
- <sup>2</sup> And when **Jacob** saw them, he said, This is **God's host**: and he called the name of that place **Mahanaim**.
- <sup>3</sup> And **Jacob sent messengers** *before* him to **Esau** his brother unto the land of **Seir**, the country of **Edom**.
- <sup>4</sup> And he commanded them, saying, Thus shall ye speak unto my lord **Esau**; Thy servant **Jacob** saith thus, I have sojourned with **Laban**, and stayed there until now:
- <sup>5</sup> And I have oxen, and asses, flocks, and menservants, and womenservants: and I have sent to tell my lord, that I may find grace in thy sight.
- <sup>6</sup> And the messengers returned to **Jacob**, saying, We came to thy brother **Esau**, and also he cometh to meet thee, and four hundred men with him.
- <sup>7</sup> Then **Jacob** was greatly afraid and distressed: and he divided the people that was with him, and the flocks, and herds, and the camels, into two bands;
- <sup>8</sup> And said, If **Esau** come to the one company, and smite it, then the other company which is left shall escape.
- <sup>9</sup> And **Jacob** said, O **God** of my father Abraham, and **God** of my father **Isaac**, the **LORD** which saidst unto me, Return unto thy country, and to thy kindred, and I will deal well with thee:
- <sup>10</sup> I am not worthy of the *least* of *all* the mercies, and of *all* the truth, which thou hast shewed unto thy servant; for with my staff I passed over this **Jordan**; and now I am become two bands.
- <sup>11</sup> Deliver me, I pray thee, from the hand of my brother, from the hand of **Esau**: for I fear him, lest he will come and smite me, and the mother with the children.
- <sup>12</sup> And thou saidst, I will surely do thee good, and make thy seed as the sand of the sea, which cannot be numbered for multitude.
- <sup>13</sup> And he lodged there that same night; and took of that which came to his hand a present for **Esau** his brother;
- <sup>14</sup> Two hundred she goats, and twenty he goats, two hundred ewes, and twenty rams,
- <sup>15</sup> Thirty milch camels with their colts, forty kine, and ten bulls, twenty she asses, and ten foals.
- <sup>16</sup> And he delivered them into the hand of his servants, every drove by themselves; and said unto his servants, Pass over before me, and put a space betwixt drove and drove.

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- 17 And he **commanded** the **foremost**, saying, When **Esau** my brother **meeteth** thee, and asketh thee, saying, Whose art thou? and whither goest thou? and whose are these *before* thee?
- 18 Then thou shalt say, They be thy **servant Jacob's**; it is a **present sent** unto my lord **Esau**: and, behold, also he is *behind* us.
- 19 And so **commanded** he the **second**, and the **third**, and *all* that **followed** the **droves**, saying, On this **manner** shall ye speak unto **Esau**, when ye **find** him.
- 20 And say ye moreover, Behold, thy **servant Jacob** is *behind* us. For he said, I will **appease** him with the **present** that goeth *before* me, and *afterward* I will see his **face**; *peradventure* he will **accept** of me.
- 21 So went the **present** over *before* him: and himself **lodged** that **night** in the **company**.
- 22 And he **rose up** that **night**, and took his **two wives**, and his **two womenservants**, and his **eleven** sons, and **passed** over the **ford Jabbok**.
- 23 And he took them, and **sent** them over the **brook**, and sent over that he had.
- 24 And **Jacob** was **left alone**; and **there wrestled a man with him until the breaking of the day**.
- 25 And when he saw that he **prevailed not** against him, he **touched the hollow** of his **thigh**; and the hollow of **Jacob's thigh** was **out of joint**, as he **wrestled** with him.
- 26 And he said, **Let me go, for the day breaketh**. And he said, I will **not** let thee go, **except** thou **bless** me.
- 27 And he said unto him, **What is thy name?** And he said, **Jacob**.
- 28 And he said, **Thy name shall be called no more Jacob, but Israel**: for as a **prince** hast thou **power with God and with men, and hast prevailed**.
- 29 And **Jacob** asked him, and said, Tell me, I pray thee, thy name. And he said, **Wherefore is it that thou dost ask after my name? And he blessed him there**.
- 30 And **Jacob** called the name of the place **Peniel**: for I have seen **God face to face**, and my **life** is **preserved**.
- 31 And as he **passed** over **Penuel** the **sun rose** upon him, and he **halted** upon his **thigh**.
- 32 **Therefore the children of Israel eat not of the sinew which shrank, which is upon the hollow of the thigh, unto this day: because he touched the hollow of Jacob's thigh in the sinew that shrank**.

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- <sup>1</sup> And **Jacob** lifted up his eyes, and looked, and, behold, **Esau** came, and with him four hundred men. And he divided the children unto **Leah**, and unto **Rachel**, and unto the two handmaids.
- <sup>2</sup> And he put the handmaids and their children foremost, and **Leah** and her children *after*, and **Rachel** and **Joseph** *hindermost*.
- <sup>3</sup> And he passed over *before* them, and bowed himself to the ground seven times, until he came *near* to his brother.
- <sup>4</sup> And **Esau** ran to meet him, and embraced him, and fell on his neck, and kissed him: and they wept.
- <sup>5</sup> And he lifted up his eyes, and saw the women and the children; and said, Who are those with thee? And he said, The children which **God** hath graciously given thy servant.
- <sup>6</sup> Then the handmaidens came *near*, they and their children, and they bowed themselves.
- <sup>7</sup> And **Leah** also with her children came *near*, and bowed themselves: and *after* came **Joseph** *near* and **Rachel**, and they bowed themselves.
- <sup>8</sup> And he said, What meanest thou by *all* this drove which I met? And he said, These are to find grace in the sight of my lord.
- <sup>9</sup> And **Esau** said, I have enough, my brother; keep that thou hast unto thyself.
- <sup>10</sup> And **Jacob** said, Nay, I pray thee, if now I have found grace in thy sight, then receive my present at my hand: for therefore I have seen thy face, as though I had seen the face of **God**, and thou wast pleased with me.
- <sup>11</sup> Take, I pray thee, my blessing that is brought to thee; because **God** hath dealt graciously with me, and because I have enough. And he urged him, and he took it.
- <sup>12</sup> And he said, Let us take our journey, and let us go, and I will go *before* thee.
- <sup>13</sup> And he said unto him, My lord knoweth that the children are tender, and the flocks and herds with young are with me: and if men should overdrive them one day, *all* the flock will die.
- <sup>14</sup> Let my lord, I pray thee, pass over before his servant: and I will lead on softly, according as the cattle that goeth *before* me and the children be able to endure, until I come unto my lord unto **Seir**.
- <sup>15</sup> And **Esau** said, Let me now leave with thee some of the folk that are with me. And he said, What needeth it? let me find grace in the sight of my lord.

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- <sup>16</sup> So **Esau returned** that day on his way unto **Seir**.
- <sup>17</sup> And **Jacob journeyed** to **Succoth**, and **built** him an house, and made **booths** for his cattle: therefore the name of the place is called **Succoth**.
- <sup>18</sup> And **Jacob** came to **Shalem**, a city of **Shechem**, which is in the land of **Canaan**, when he came from **Padanaram**; and **pitched** his tent *before* the city.
- <sup>19</sup> And he **bought** a parcel of a field, where he had **spread** his tent, at the hand of the children of **Hamor**, **Shechem's father**, for an hundred pieces of money.
- <sup>20</sup> And he **erected** there an altar, and called it **EleloheIsrael**.



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- <sup>1</sup> And **Dinah** the daughter of **Leah**, which she bare unto **Jacob**, went *out* to see the daughters of the land.
- <sup>2</sup> And when **Shechem** the son of **Hamor** the **Hivite**, prince of the country, saw her, he took her, and lay with her, and defiled her.
- <sup>3</sup> And his soul clave unto **Dinah** the daughter of **Jacob**, and he loved the damsel, and spake *kindly* unto the damsel.
- <sup>4</sup> And **Shechem** spake unto his father **Hamor**, saying, Get me this damsel to wife.
- <sup>5</sup> And **Jacob** heard that he had defiled **Dinah** his daughter: now his sons were with his cattle in the field: and **Jacob** held his peace until they were come.
- <sup>6</sup> And **Hamor** the father of **Shechem** went *out* unto **Jacob** to commune with him.
- <sup>7</sup> And the sons of **Jacob** came *out* of the field when they heard it: and the men were grieved, and they were *very* wroth, because he had wrought folly in **Israel** in lying with **Jacob's** daughter: which thing ought not to be done.
- <sup>8</sup> And **Hamor** communed with them, saying, The soul of my son **Shechem** *longeth* for your daughter: I pray you give her him to wife.
- <sup>9</sup> And make ye marriages with us, and give your daughters unto us, and take our daughters unto you.
- <sup>10</sup> And ye shall dwell with us: and the land shall be *before* you; dwell and trade ye therein, and get you possessions therein.
- <sup>11</sup> And **Shechem** said unto her father and unto her brethren, Let me find grace in your eyes, and what ye shall say unto me I will give.
- <sup>12</sup> Ask me never so much dowry and gift, and I will give according as ye shall say unto me: but give me the damsel to wife.
- <sup>13</sup> And the sons of **Jacob** answered **Shechem** and **Hamor** his father *deceitfully*, and said, because he had defiled **Dinah** their sister:
- <sup>14</sup> And they said unto them, We cannot do this thing, to give our sister to one that is uncircumcised; for that were a reproach unto us:
- <sup>15</sup> But in this will we consent unto you: If ye will be as we be, that every male of you be circumcised;

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- 16 Then will we give our daughters unto you, and we will take your daughters to us, and we will dwell with you, and we will become one people.
- 17 But if ye will not hearken unto us, to be circumcised; then will we take our daughter, and we will be gone.
- 18 And their words pleased Hamor, and **Shechem Hamor's** son.
- 19 And the young man deferred not to do the thing, because he had delight in **Jacob's** daughter: and he was more honourable than *all* the house of his father.
- 20 And **Hamor** and **Shechem** his son came unto the gate of their city, and communed with the men of their city, saying,
- 21 These men are peaceable with us; therefore let them dwell in the land, and trade therein; for the land, behold, it is large enough for them; let us take their daughters to us for wives, and let us give them our daughters.
- 22 Only herein will the men consent unto us for to dwell with us, to be one people, if every male among us be circumcised, as they are circumcised.
- 23 Shall not their cattle and their substance and every beast of **their's** be **our's**? only let us consent unto them, and they will dwell with us.
- 24 And unto **Hamor** and unto **Shechem** his son hearkened *all* that went *out* of the gate of his city; and every male was circumcised, *all* that went *out* of the gate of his city.
- 25 And it came to pass on the third day, when they were sore, that two of the sons of **Jacob**, **Simeon** and **Levi**, **Dinah's** brethren, took each man his sword, and came upon the city boldly, and slew *all* the males.
- 26 And they slew Hamor and **Shechem** his son with the edge of the sword, and took **Dinah** *out* of **Shechem's** house, and went *out*.
- 27 The sons of **Jacob** came upon the slain, and spoiled the city, because they had defiled their sister.
- 28 They took their sheep, and their oxen, and their asses, and that which was in the city, and that which was in the field,
- 29 And *all* their wealth, and *all* their little ones, and their wives took they captive, and spoiled even *all* that was in the house.
- 30 And **Jacob** said to **Simeon** and **Levi**, Ye have troubled me to make me to stink among the inhabitants of the land, among the **Canaanites** and the **Perizzites**: and I being *few* in number, they shall gather themselves together against me, and slay me; and I shall be destroyed, I and my house.
- 31 And they said, Should he deal with our sister as with an harlot?

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- <sup>1</sup> And **God** said unto **Jacob**, Arise, go *up* to **Bethel**, and  dwell there: and make there an  altar unto **God**, that  appeared unto thee when thou  fleddest from the  face of **Esau** thy brother.
- <sup>2</sup> Then **Jacob** said unto his  household, and to  *all* that were with him, Put  away the  *strange gods* that are among you, and be  clean, and  change your  garments:
- <sup>3</sup> And let us  arise, and go  *up* to **Bethel**; and I will make there an  altar unto **God**, who answered me in the  day of my  distress, and was with me in the  way which I went.
- <sup>4</sup> And they gave unto **Jacob**  *all* the  *strange gods* which were in their  hand, and  *all* their  earrings which were in their  ears; and **Jacob**  hid them  *under* the  oak which was by **Shechem**.
- <sup>5</sup> And they  journeyed: and the  *terror* of **God** was upon the  cities that were round about them, and they did  not pursue  *after* the sons of **Jacob**.
- <sup>6</sup> So **Jacob** came to **Luz**, which is in the land of **Canaan**, that is, **Bethel**, he and  *all* the people that were with him.
- <sup>7</sup> And he  built there an  altar, and called the  place **Elbethel**: because there **God**  appeared unto him, when he  fled from the  face of his brother.
- <sup>8</sup> But **Deborah**, **Rebekah's**  nurse  died, and she was  buried  *beneath* **Bethel**  *under* an  oak: and the name of it was called **Allonbachuth**.
- <sup>9</sup> And **God**  appeared unto **Jacob**  again, when he came  *out* of **Padanaram**, and  blessed him.
- <sup>10</sup> And **God** said unto him,  Thy name is **Jacob**: thy name shall  not be called  *any more* **Jacob**, but **Israel** shall be thy name: and he called his name **Israel**.
- <sup>11</sup> And **God** said unto him, **I am God Almighty**: be  fruitful and  multiply; a  nation and a  company of nations shall be of thee, and  kings shall come  *out* of thy  loins;
- <sup>12</sup> And the  land which I gave **Abraham** and **Isaac**, to thee I will give it, and to thy  seed  *after* thee will I give the land.
- <sup>13</sup> And **God**  went up from him in the  place where he  talked with him.
- <sup>14</sup> And **Jacob** set up a  pillar in the  place where he  talked with him, even a pillar of  stone: and he  poured a  drink offering thereon, and he poured  oil thereon.
- <sup>15</sup> And **Jacob** called the  name of the  place where **God** spake with him, **Bethel**.

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- <sup>16</sup> And they journeyed from **Bethel**; and there was but a *little way* to come to **Ephrath**: and **Rachel** travailed, and she had *hard labour*.
- <sup>17</sup> And it came to pass, when she was in *hard labour*, that the midwife said unto her, Fear not; thou shalt have this son *also*.
- <sup>18</sup> And it came to pass, as her soul was in departing, (for she died) that she called his name **Benoni**: but his father called him **Benjamin**.
- <sup>19</sup> And **Rachel** died, and was buried in the way to **Ephrath**, which is **Bethlehem**.
- <sup>20</sup> And **Jacob** set a pillar upon her grave: that is the pillar of **Rachel's** grave unto this day.
- <sup>21</sup> And **Israel** journeyed, and spread his tent *beyond* the tower of **Edar**.
- <sup>22</sup> And it came to pass, when **Israel** dwelt in that land, that **Reuben** went and lay with **Bilhah** his father's concubine: and **Israel** heard it. Now the sons of **Jacob** were twelve:
- <sup>23</sup> The sons of **Leah**; **Reuben**, **Jacob's** firstborn, and **Simeon**, and **Levi**, and **Judah**, and **Issachar**, and **Zebulun**:
- <sup>24</sup> The sons of **Rachel**; **Joseph**, and **Benjamin**:
- <sup>25</sup> And the sons of **Bilhah**, **Rachel's** handmaid; **Dan**, and **Naphtali**:
- <sup>26</sup> And the sons of **Zilpah**, **Leah's** handmaid: **Gad**, and **Asher**: these are the sons of **Jacob**, which were born to him in **Padanaram**.
- <sup>27</sup> And **Jacob** came unto **Isaac** his father unto **Mamre**, unto the city of **Arbah**, which is **Hebron**, where **Abraham** and **Isaac** sojourned.
- <sup>28</sup> And the days of **Isaac** were an hundred and fourscore years.
- <sup>29</sup> And **Isaac** gave up the ghost, and died, and was gathered unto his people, being old and full of days: and his sons **Esau** and **Jacob** buried him.

# Genesis 36

- <sup>1</sup> Now these are the generations of **Esau**, who is **Edom**.
- <sup>2</sup> **Esau** took his wives of the daughters of **Canaan**; **Adah** the daughter of **Elon** the **Hittite**, and **Aholibamah** the daughter of **Anah** the daughter of **Zibeon** the **Hivite**;
- <sup>3</sup> And **Bashemath Ishmael's** daughter, sister of **Nebajoth**.
- <sup>4</sup> And **Adah** bare to **Esau Eliphaz**; and **Bashemath** bare **Reuel**;
- <sup>5</sup> And **Aholibamah** bare **Jeush**, and **Jaalam**, and **Korah**: these are the sons of **Esau**, which were born unto him in the land of **Canaan**.
- <sup>6</sup> And **Esau** took his wives, and his sons, and his daughters, and *all* the persons of his house, and his cattle, and *all* his beasts, and *all* his substance, which he had got in the land of **Canaan**; and went into the country from the face of his brother **Jacob**.
- <sup>7</sup> For their riches were *more* than that they might dwelt together; and the land wherein they were strangers could not bear them because of their cattle.
- <sup>8</sup> Thus dwelt **Esau** in mount **Seir**: **Esau** is **Edom**.
- <sup>9</sup> And these are the generations of **Esau** the father of the **Edomites** in mount **Seir**:
- <sup>10</sup> These are the names of **Esau's** sons; **Eliphaz** the son of **Adah** the wife of **Esau**, **Reuel** the son of **Bashemath** the wife of **Esau**.
- <sup>11</sup> And the sons of **Eliphaz** were **Teman**, **Omar**, **Zepho**, and **Gatam**, and **Kenaz**.
- <sup>12</sup> And **Timna** was concubine to **Eliphaz Esau's** son; and she bare to **Eliphaz Amalek**: these were the sons of **Adah Esau's** wife.
- <sup>13</sup> And these are the sons of **Reuel**; **Nahath**, and **Zerah**, **Shammah**, and **Mizzah**: these were the sons of **Bashemath Esau's** wife.
- <sup>14</sup> And these were the sons of **Aholibamah**, the daughter of **Anah** the daughter of **Zibeon**, **Esau's** wife: and she bare to **Esau Jeush**, and **Jaalam**, and **Korah**.
- <sup>15</sup> These were dukes of the sons of **Esau**: the sons of **Eliphaz** the firstborn son of **Esau**; duke **Teman**, duke **Omar**, duke **Zepho**, duke **Kenaz**,
- <sup>16</sup> Duke **Korah**, duke **Gatam**, and duke **Amalek**: these are the dukes that came of **Eliphaz** in the land of **Edom**; these were the sons of **Adah**.

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- 17 And these are the sons of **Reuel Esau's** son; duke **Nahath**, duke **Zerah**, duke **Shammah**, duke **Mizzah**: these are the dukes that came of **Reuel** in the land of **Edom**; these are the sons of **Bashemath Esau's wife**.
- 18 And these are the sons of **Aholibamah Esau's wife**; duke **Jeush**, duke **Jaalam**, duke **Korah**: these were the dukes that came of **Aholibamah** the daughter of **Anah, Esau's wife**.
- 19 These are the sons of **Esau**, who is **Edom**, and these are their dukes.
- 20 These are the sons of **Seir the Horite**, who inhabited the land; **Lotan**, and **Shobal**, and **Zibeon**, and **Anah**,
- 21 And **Dishon**, and **Ezer**, and **Dishan**: these are the dukes of the **Horites**, the children of **Seir** in the land of **Edom**.
- 22 And the children of **Lotan** were **Hori** and **Hemam**; and **Lotan's sister** was **Timna**.
- 23 And the children of **Shobal** were these; **Alvan**, and **Manahath**, and **Ebal**, **Shepho**, and **Onam**.
- 24 And these are the children of **Zibeon**; both **Ajah**, and **Anah**: this was that **Anah** that found the mules in the wilderness, as he fed the asses of **Zibeon** his father.
- 25 And the children of **Anah** were these; **Dishon**, and **Aholibamah** the daughter of **Anah**.
- 26 And these are the children of **Dishon**; **Hemdan**, and **Eshban**, and **Ithran**, and **Cheran**.
- 27 The children of **Ezer** are these; **Bilhan**, and **Zaavan**, and **Akan**.
- 28 The children of **Dishan** are these; **Uz**, and **Aran**.
- 29 These are the dukes that came of the **Horites**; duke **Lotan**, duke **Shobal**, duke **Zibeon**, duke **Anah**,
- 30 Duke **Dishon**, duke **Ezer**, duke **Dishan**: these are the dukes that came of **Hori**, among their dukes in the land of **Seir**.
- 31 And these are the kings that reigned in the land of **Edom**, *before* there reigned *any* king over the children of **Israel**.
- 32 And **Bela** the son of **Beor** reigned in **Edom**: and the name of his city was **Dinhabah**.
- 33 And **Bela** died, and **Jobab** the son of **Zerah** of **Bozrah** reigned in his stead.
- 34 And **Jobab** died, and **Husham** of the land of **Temani** reigned in his stead.
- 35 And **Husham** died, and **Hadad** the son of **Bedad**, who smote **Midian** in the field of **Moab**, reigned in his stead: and the name of his city was **Avith**.
- 36 And **Hadad** died, and **Samlah** of **Masrekah** reigned in his stead.
- 37 And **Samlah** died, and **Saul** of **Rehoboth** by the river reigned in his stead.

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- 38 And **Saul** died, and **Baalhanan** the son of **Achbor** reigned in his stead.
- 39 And **Baalhanan** the son of **Achbor** died, and **Hadar** reigned in his stead: and the name of his city was **Pau**; and his wife's name was **Mehetabel**, the daughter of **Matred**, the daughter of **Mezahab**.
- 40 And these are the names of the dukes that came of **Esau**, according to their families, *after their places*, by their names; duke **Timnah**, duke **Alvah**, duke **Jetheth**,
- 41 Duke **Aholibamah**, duke **Elah**, duke **Pinon**,
- 42 Duke **Kenaz**, duke **Teman**, duke **Mibzar**,
- 43 Duke **Magdiel**, duke **Iram**: these be the dukes of **Edom**, according to their habitations in the land of their possession: he is **Esau** the father of the **Edomites**.

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- <sup>1</sup> And **Jacob dwelt** in the land wherein his father was a stranger, in the land of **Canaan**.
- <sup>2</sup> These are the generations of **Jacob**. **Joseph**, being seventeen years old, was feeding the flock with his brethren; and the lad was with the sons of **Bilhah**, and with the sons of **Zilpah**, his father's wives: and **Joseph** brought unto his father their evil report.
- <sup>3</sup> Now **Israel loved Joseph** *more* than *all* his children, because he was the son of his old age: and he made him a coat of many colours.
- <sup>4</sup> And when his brethren saw that their father loved him *more* than *all* his brethren, they hated him, and could not speak peaceably unto him.
- <sup>5</sup> And **Joseph dreamed** a dream, and he told it his brethren: and they hated him *yet the more*.
- <sup>6</sup> And he said unto them, Hear, I pray you, this dream which I have dreamed:
- <sup>7</sup> For, behold, we were binding sheaves in the field, and, lo, my sheaf arose, and also stood upright, and, behold, your sheaves stood round about, and made obeisance to my sheaf.
- <sup>8</sup> And his brethren said to him, Shalt thou indeed reign over us? or shalt thou indeed have dominion over us? And they hated him *yet the more* for his dreams, and for his words.
- <sup>9</sup> And he dreamed yet another dream, and told it his brethren, and said, Behold, I have dreamed a dream more; and, behold, the sun and the moon and the eleven stars made obeisance to me.
- <sup>10</sup> And he told it to his father, and to his brethren: and his father rebuked him, and said unto him, What is this dream that thou hast dreamed? Shall I and thy mother and thy brethren indeed come to bow down ourselves to thee to the earth?
- <sup>11</sup> And his brethren envied him; but his father observed the saying.
- <sup>12</sup> And his brethren went to feed their father's flock in **Shechem**.
- <sup>13</sup> And **Israel** said unto **Joseph**, Do not thy brethren feed the flock in **Shechem**? come, and I will send thee unto them. And he said to him, Here am I.
- <sup>14</sup> And he said to him, Go, I pray thee, see whether it be well with thy brethren, and well with the flocks; and bring me word again. So he sent him *out* of the vale of **Hebron**, and he came to **Shechem**.
- <sup>15</sup> And a *certain man* found him, and, behold, he was wandering in the field: and the man asked him, saying, What seekest thou?



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- <sup>16</sup> And he said, I seek my brethren: tell me, I pray thee, where they feed their flocks.
- <sup>17</sup> And the man said, They are departed hence; for I heard them say, Let us go to Dothan. And Joseph went *after* his brethren, and found them in Dothan.
- <sup>18</sup> And when they saw him *afar off*, even *before* he came *near* unto them, they conspired against him to slay him.
- <sup>19</sup> And they said one to another, Behold, this dreamer cometh.
- <sup>20</sup> Come now therefore, and let us slay him, and cast him into some pit, and we will say, Some *evil* beast hath devoured him: and **we shall see what will become of his dreams**.
- <sup>21</sup> And Reuben heard it, and he delivered him *out* of their hands; and said, Let us not kill him.
- <sup>22</sup> And Reuben said unto them, Shed no blood, but cast him into this pit that is in the wilderness, and lay no hand upon him; that he might rid him *out* of their hands, to deliver him to his father again.
- <sup>23</sup> And it came to pass, when Joseph was come unto his brethren, that they stript Joseph *out* of his coat, his coat of many colours that was on him;
- <sup>24</sup> And they took him, and cast him into a pit: and the pit was empty, there was no water in it.
- <sup>25</sup> And they sat down to eat bread: and they lifted up their eyes and looked, and, behold, a company of Ishmeelites came from Gilead with their camels bearing spicery and balm and myrrh, going to carry it down to Egypt.
- <sup>26</sup> And Judah said unto his brethren, What profit is it if we slay our brother, and conceal his blood?
- <sup>27</sup> Come, and let us sell him to the Ishmeelites, and let not our hand be upon him; for he is our brother and our flesh. And his brethren were content.
- <sup>28</sup> Then there passed by Midianites merchantmen; and they drew and lifted up Joseph *out* of the pit, and sold Joseph to the Ishmeelites for twenty pieces of silver: and they brought Joseph into Egypt.
- <sup>29</sup> And Reuben returned unto the pit; and, behold, Joseph was not in the pit; and he rent his clothes.<sup>30</sup> And he returned unto his brethren, and said, The child is not; and I, whither shall I go?<sup>31</sup> And they took Joseph's coat, and killed a kid of the goats, and dipped the coat in the blood;<sup>32</sup> And they sent the coat of many colours, and they brought it to their father; and said, This have we found: know now whether it be thy son's coat or no.<sup>33</sup> And he knew it, and said, It is my son's coat; an *evil* beast hath devoured him; Joseph is *without doubt* rent in pieces.<sup>34</sup> And Jacob rent his clothes, and put sackcloth upon his loins, and mourned for his son *many days*.<sup>35</sup> And *all* his sons and *all* his daughters rose up to comfort him; but he refused to be comforted; and he said, For I will go *down* into the grave unto my son mourning. Thus his father wept for him.<sup>36</sup> And the Midianites sold him into Egypt unto Potiphar, an officer of Pharaoh's, and captain of the guard.

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- <sup>1</sup> And it came to pass at that time, that **Judah** went *down* from his brethren, and turned in to a *certain* **Adullamite**, whose name was **Hirah**.
- <sup>2</sup> And **Judah** saw there a daughter of a *certain* **Canaanite**, whose name was **Shuah**; and he took her, and *went in* unto her.
- <sup>3</sup> And she conceived, and bare a son; and he called his name **Er**.
- <sup>4</sup> And she conceived again, and bare a son; and she called his name **Onan**.
- <sup>5</sup> And she yet again conceived, and bare a son; and called his name **Shelah**: and he was at **Chezib**, when she bare him.
- <sup>6</sup> And **Judah** took a wife for **Er** his firstborn, whose name was **Tamar**.
- <sup>7</sup> And **Er**, **Judah's** firstborn, was wicked in the sight of the **LORD**; and the **LORD** slew him.
- <sup>8</sup> And **Judah** said unto **Onan**, Go in unto thy brother's wife, and marry her, and raise up seed to thy brother.
- <sup>9</sup> And **Onan** knew that the seed should not be his; and it came to pass, when he *went in* unto his brother's wife, that he spilled it on the ground, lest that he should give seed to his brother.
- <sup>10</sup> And the thing which he did displeased the **LORD**: wherefore he slew him *also*.
- <sup>11</sup> Then said **Judah** to **Tamar** his daughter *in law*, Remain a widow at thy father's house, till **Shelah** my son be grown: for he said, Lest *peradventure* he die also, as his brethren did. And **Tamar** went and dwelt in her father's house.
- <sup>12</sup> And in process of time the daughter of **Shuah** **Judah's** wife died; and **Judah** was comforted, and went up unto his sheepshearers to **Timnath**, he and his friend **Hirah** the **Adullamite**.
- <sup>13</sup> And it was told **Tamar**, saying, Behold thy father in law goeth up to **Timnath** to shear his sheep.
- <sup>14</sup> And she put her widow's garments off from her, and covered her with a vail, and wrapped herself, and sat in an open place, which is by the way to **Timnath**; for she saw that **Shelah** was grown, and she was not given unto him to wife.
- <sup>15</sup> When **Judah** saw her, he thought her to be an harlot, because she had covered her face.
- <sup>16</sup> And he turned unto her by the way, and said, Go to, I pray thee, let me *come in* unto thee; (for he knew not that she was his daughter *in law*.) And she said, What wilt thou *give* me, that thou mayest *come in* unto me?

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- <sup>17</sup> And he said, I will send thee a kid from the flock. And she said, Wilt thou give me a pledge, till thou send it?
- <sup>18</sup> And he said, What pledge shall I give thee? And she said, Thy signet, and thy bracelets, and thy staff that is in thine hand. And he gave it her, and *came in* unto her, and she conceived by him.
- <sup>19</sup> And she arose, and went away, and laid by her vail from her, and put on the garments of her widowhood.
- <sup>20</sup> And Judah sent the kid by the hand of his friend the Adullamite, to receive his pledge from the woman's hand: but he found her not.
- <sup>21</sup> Then he asked the men of that place, saying, Where is the harlot, that was openly by the way side? And they said, There was no harlot in this place.
- <sup>22</sup> And he returned to Judah, and said, I cannot find her; and *also* the men of the place said, that there was no harlot in this place.
- <sup>23</sup> And Judah said, Let her take it to her, lest we be shamed: behold, I sent this kid, and thou hast not found her.
- <sup>24</sup> And it came to pass about three months *after*, that it was told Judah, saying, Tamar thy daughter *in law* hath played the harlot, and also, behold, she is *with child* by whoredom. And Judah said, Bring her forth, and let her be burnt.
- <sup>25</sup> When she was brought forth, she sent to her father in law, saying, By the man, whose these are, am I *with child*: and she said, Discern, I pray thee, whose are these, the signet, and bracelets, and staff.
- <sup>26</sup> And Judah acknowledged them, and said, She hath been *more* righteous than I; because that I gave her not to Shelah my son. And he knew her again no more.
- <sup>27</sup> And it came to pass in the time of her travail, that, behold, twins were in her womb.
- <sup>28</sup> And it came to pass, when she travailed, that the one put out his hand: and the midwife took and bound upon his hand a scarlet thread, saying, This came out first.
- <sup>29</sup> And it came to pass, as he drew back his hand, that, behold, his brother came out. and she said, How hast thou broken forth? this breach be upon thee: therefore his name was called Pharez.
- <sup>30</sup> And *afterward* came out his brother, that had the scarlet thread upon his hand: and his name was called Zarah.

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- <sup>1</sup> And **Joseph** was brought *down* to **Egypt**; and **Potiphar**, an officer of **Pharaoh**, captain of the guard, an **Egyptian**, bought him of the hands of the **Ishmeelites**, which had brought him *down* thither.
- <sup>2</sup> And the **LORD** was *with Joseph*, and he was a *prosperous* man; and he was in the house of his master the **Egyptian**.
- <sup>3</sup> And his master saw that the **LORD** was *with* him, and that the **LORD** made *all* that he did to prosper in his hand.
- <sup>4</sup> And **Joseph found grace** in his sight, and he served him: and he made him overseer over his house, and *all* that he had he put into his hand.
- <sup>5</sup> And it came to pass from the time that he had made him overseer in his house, and over *all* that he had, that the **LORD blessed** the **Egyptian's** house for **Joseph's** sake; and the blessing of the **LORD** was upon *all* that he had in the house, and in the field.
- <sup>6</sup> And he left *all* that he had in **Joseph's** hand; and he knew not ought he had, save the bread which he did eat. And **Joseph** was a *goodly person*, and *well favoured*.
- <sup>7</sup> And it came to pass *after* these things, that his master's wife cast her eyes upon **Joseph**; and she said, *Lie with me*.
- <sup>8</sup> But he refused, and said unto his master's wife, Behold, my master *wotteth not* what is with me in the house, and he hath committed *all* that he hath to my hand;
- <sup>9</sup> There is none greater in this house than I; neither hath he kept back anything from me but *thee*, because thou art his wife: how then can I do this *great wickedness*, and *sin against God*?
- <sup>10</sup> And it came to pass, as she spake to **Joseph** day by day, that he hearkened not unto her, to lie by her, or to be *with* her.
- <sup>11</sup> And it came to pass about this time, that **Joseph** went into the house *to do his business*; and there was none of the men of the house there within.
- <sup>12</sup> And she caught him by his garment, saying, *Lie with me*: and he left his garment in her hand, and fled, and got him *out*.
- <sup>13</sup> And it came to pass, when she saw that he had left his garment in her hand, and was fled forth,
- <sup>14</sup> That she called unto the men of her house, and spake unto them, saying, See, he hath brought in an **Hebrew** unto us to mock us; he came in unto me to lie with me, and I cried with a *loud voice*:

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- <sup>15</sup> And it came to pass, when he heard that I lifted up my voice and cried, that he left his garment with me, and fled, and got him *out*.
- <sup>16</sup> And she laid up his garment by her, until his lord came home.
- <sup>17</sup> And she spake unto him according to these words, saying, The Hebrew servant, which thou hast brought unto us, came in unto me to mock me:
- <sup>18</sup> And it came to pass, as I lifted up my voice and cried, that he left his garment with me, and fled *out*.
- <sup>19</sup> And it came to pass, when his master heard the words of his wife, which she spake unto him, saying, *After this manner* did thy servant to me; that his wrath was kindled.
- <sup>20</sup> And Joseph's master took him, and put him into the prison, a place where the king's prisoners were bound: and he was there in the prison.
- <sup>21</sup> But the LORD was *with Joseph*, and shewed him mercy, and gave him favour in the sight of the keeper of the prison.
- <sup>22</sup> And the keeper of the prison committed to Joseph's hand *all* the prisoners that were in the prison; and whatsoever they did there, he was the doer of it.
- <sup>23</sup> The keeper of the prison looked not to *any thing* that was *under* his hand; because the LORD was *with* him, and that which he did, the LORD made it to prosper.

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- <sup>1</sup> And it came to pass *after* these things, that the butler of the king of **Egypt** and his baker had offended their lord the king of **Egypt**.
- <sup>2</sup> And **Pharaoh** was wroth against two of his officers, against the chief of the butlers, and against the chief of the bakers.
- <sup>3</sup> And he put them in ward in the house of the captain of the guard, into the prison, the place where **Joseph** was bound.
- <sup>4</sup> And the captain of the guard charged **Joseph** with them, and he served them: and they *continued* a season in ward.
- <sup>5</sup> And they dreamed a dream both of them, each man his dream in one night, each man according to the interpretation of his dream, the butler and the baker of the king of **Egypt**, which were bound in the prison.
- <sup>6</sup> And **Joseph** came in unto them in the morning, and looked upon them, and, behold, they were sad.
- <sup>7</sup> And he asked **Pharaoh's officers** that were with him in the ward of his lord's house, saying, Wherefore look ye so *sadly* to day?
- <sup>8</sup> And they said unto him, We have dreamed a dream, and there is no interpreter of it. And **Joseph** said unto them, Do not interpretations belong to **God**? tell me them, I pray you.
- <sup>9</sup> And the chief butler told his dream to **Joseph**, and said to him, In my dream, behold, a vine was *before* me;
- <sup>10</sup> And in the vine were three branches: and it was as though it budded, and her blossoms shot forth; and the clusters thereof brought forth *ripe grapes*:
- <sup>11</sup> And **Pharaoh's cup** was in my hand: and I took the grapes, and pressed them into **Pharaoh's** cup, and I gave the cup into **Pharaoh's** hand.
- <sup>12</sup> And **Joseph** said unto him, This is the interpretation of it: The three branches are three days:
- <sup>13</sup> Yet within three days shall **Pharaoh** *lift up* thine head, and restore thee unto thy place: and thou shalt deliver Pharaoh's cup into his hand, *after* the *former manner* when thou wast his butler.
- <sup>14</sup> **But think** on me when it shall be well with thee, and shew kindness, I pray thee, unto me, and make mention of me unto **Pharaoh**, and bring me *out* of this house:

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- <sup>15</sup> For indeed I was stolen away *out of* the land of the **Hebrews**: and here *also* have I done nothing that they should put me into the dungeon.
- <sup>16</sup> When the chief baker saw that the interpretation was good, he said unto **Joseph**, I also was in my dream, and, behold, I had three white baskets on my head:
- <sup>17</sup> And in the uppermost basket there was of *all* manner of bakemeats for **Pharaoh**; and the birds did eat them *out of* the basket upon my head.
- <sup>18</sup> And **Joseph** answered and said, This is the interpretation thereof: The three baskets are three days:
- <sup>19</sup> Yet within three days shall **Pharaoh lift up** thy head from off thee, and shall hang thee on a tree; and the birds shall eat thy flesh from *off* thee.
- <sup>20</sup> And it came to pass the third day, which was **Pharaoh's birthday**, that he made a feast unto *all* his servants: and he lifted up the head of the chief butler and of the chief baker among his servants.
- <sup>21</sup> And he restored the chief butler unto his butlership again; and he gave the cup into **Pharaoh's** hand:
- <sup>22</sup> But he hanged the chief baker: as **Joseph** had interpreted to them.
- <sup>23</sup> Yet did not the chief butler remember Joseph, but forgot him.

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- <sup>1</sup> And it came to pass at the end of two full years, that Pharaoh dreamed: and, behold, he stood by the river.
- <sup>2</sup> And, behold, there came *up out* of the river seven well favoured kine and fatfleshed; and they fed in a meadow.
- <sup>3</sup> And, behold, seven other kine came *up after* them *out* of the river, ill favoured and leanfleshed; and stood by the other kine upon the brink of the river.
- <sup>4</sup> And the ill favoured and leanfleshed kine did eat up the seven well favoured and fat kine. So Pharaoh awoke.
- <sup>5</sup> And he slept and dreamed the second time: and, behold, seven ears of corn came *up* upon one stalk, rank and good.
- <sup>6</sup> And, behold, seven thin ears and blasted with the *east* wind sprung up *after* them.
- <sup>7</sup> And the seven thin ears devoured the seven rank and full ears. And Pharaoh awoke, and, behold, it was a dream.
- <sup>8</sup> And it came to pass in the morning that his spirit was troubled; and he sent and called for *all* the magicians of Egypt, and all the wise men thereof: and Pharaoh told them his dream; but there was none that could interpret them unto Pharaoh.
- <sup>9</sup> Then spake the chief butler unto Pharaoh, saying, I do remember my faults this day:
- <sup>10</sup> Pharaoh was wroth with his servants, and put me in ward in the captain of the guard's house, both me and the chief baker:
- <sup>11</sup> And we dreamed a dream in one night, I and he; we dreamed each man according to the interpretation of his dream.
- <sup>12</sup> And there was there with us a young man, an Hebrew, servant to the captain of the guard; and we told him, and he interpreted to us our dreams; to each man according to his dream he did interpret.
- <sup>13</sup> And it came to pass, as he interpreted to us, so it was; me he restored unto mine office, and him he hanged.
- <sup>14</sup> Then Pharaoh sent and called Joseph, and they brought him *hastily out* of the dungeon: and he shaved himself, and changed his raiment, and came in unto Pharaoh.



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- 15 And **Pharaoh** said unto **Joseph**, I have dreamed a dream, and there is none that can interpret it: and I have heard say of thee, that thou canst understand a dream to interpret it.
- 16 And **Joseph** answered **Pharaoh**, saying, It is not in me: **God** shall give **Pharaoh** an answer of peace.
- 17 And **Pharaoh** said unto **Joseph**, In my dream, behold, I stood upon the bank of the river:
- 18 And, behold, there came up out of the river seven kine, fatfleshed and well favoured; and they fed in a meadow:
- 19 And, behold, seven other kine came up after them, poor and very ill favoured and leanfleshed, such as I never saw in all the land of **Egypt** for badness:
- 20 And the lean and the ill favoured kine did eat up the first seven fat kine:
- 21 And when they had eaten them up, it could not be known that they had eaten them; but they were still ill favoured, as at the beginning. So I awoke.
- 22 And I saw in my dream, and, behold, seven ears came up in one stalk, full and good:
- 23 And, behold, seven ears, withered, thin, and blasted with the east wind, sprung up after them:
- 24 And the thin ears devoured the seven good ears: and I told this unto the magicians; but there was none that could declare it to me.
- 25 And **Joseph** said unto **Pharaoh**, The dream of **Pharaoh** is one: **God** hath shewed **Pharaoh** what he is about to do.
- 26 The seven good kine are seven years; and the seven good ears are seven years: the dream is one.
- 27 And the seven thin and ill favoured kine that came up after them are seven years; and the seven empty ears blasted with the east wind shall be seven years of famine.
- 28 This is the thing which I have spoken unto **Pharaoh**: What **God** is about to do he sheweth unto **Pharaoh**.
- 29 Behold, there come seven years of great plenty throughout all the land of **Egypt**:
- 30 And there shall arise after them seven years of famine; and all the plenty shall be forgotten in the land of **Egypt**; and the famine shall consume the land;
- 31 And the plenty shall not be known in the land by reason of that famine following; for it shall be very grievous.
- 32 And for that the dream was doubled unto **Pharaoh** twice; it is because the thing is established by **God**, and **God** will shortly bring it to pass.
- 33 **Now** therefore let **Pharaoh** look out a man discreet and wise, and set him over the land of **Egypt**.

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- 34 Let **Pharaoh** do this, and let him appoint officers over the land, and take *up* the fifth part of the land of **Egypt** in the seven plenteous years.
- 35 And let them gather *all* the food of those good years that come, and lay up corn *under* the hand of **Pharaoh**, and let them keep food in the cities.
- 36 And that food shall be for store to the land against the seven years of famine, which shall be in the land of **Egypt**; that the land perish not through the famine.
- 37 And the thing was good in the eyes of **Pharaoh**, and in the eyes of *all* his servants.
- 38 And **Pharaoh** said unto his servants, Can we find such a one as this is, a man in whom the **Spirit** of **God** is?
- 39 And **Pharaoh** said unto **Joseph**, Forasmuch as **God** hath shewed thee *all* this, there is none so discreet and wise as thou art:
- 40 Thou shalt be **over** my house, and according unto thy word shall *all* my people be ruled: *only* in the throne will I be greater than thou.
- 41 And **Pharaoh** said unto **Joseph**, See, I have set thee **over** *all* the land of **Egypt**.
- 42 And **Pharaoh** took *off* his ring from his hand, and put it upon **Joseph's** hand, and arrayed him in vestures of fine linen, and put a gold chain about his neck;
- 43 And he made him to ride in the second chariot which he had; and they cried *before* him, Bow the knee: and he made him ruler over *all* the land of **Egypt**.
- 44 And **Pharaoh** said unto **Joseph**, I am **Pharaoh**, and without thee shall no man lift up his hand or foot in *all* the land of **Egypt**.
- 45 And **Pharaoh** called **Joseph's** name Zaphnathpaaneah; and he gave him to wife Asenath the daughter of **Potipherah** priest of **On**. And **Joseph** went *out* over *all* the land of **Egypt**.
- 46 And **Joseph** was thirty years old when he stood *before* **Pharaoh** king of **Egypt**. And **Joseph** went *out* from the presence of **Pharaoh**, and went throughout *all* the land of **Egypt**.
- 47 And in the seven plenteous years the earth brought forth by handfuls.
- 48 And he gathered up *all* the food of the seven years, which were in the land of **Egypt**, and laid up the food in the cities: the food of the field, which was round about every city, laid he *up* in the same.
- 49 And **Joseph** gathered corn as the sand of the sea, *very much*, until he left numbering; for it was *without number*.
- 50 And unto **Joseph** were born two sons *before* the years of famine came, which **Asenath** the daughter of **Potipherah** priest of **On** bare unto him.

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- <sup>51</sup> And **Joseph** called the name of the firstborn **Manasseh**: For **God**, said he, hath made me forget *all* my toil, and *all* my father's house.
- <sup>52</sup> And the name of the second called he **Ephraim**: For **God** hath caused me to be fruitful in the land of my affliction.
- <sup>53</sup> And the seven years of plenteousness, that was in the land of **Egypt**, were ended.
- <sup>54</sup> And the seven years of dearth began to come, according as **Joseph** had said: and the dearth was in *all* lands; but in *all* the land of **Egypt** there was bread.
- <sup>55</sup> And when *all* the land of **Egypt** was famished, the people cried to **Pharaoh** for bread: and **Pharaoh** said unto *all* the **Egyptians**, Go unto **Joseph**; what he saith to you, do.
- <sup>56</sup> And the famine was over *all* the face of the earth: and **Joseph** opened *all* the storehouses, and sold unto the **Egyptians**; and the famine waxed sore in the land of **Egypt**.
- <sup>57</sup> And *all* countries came into **Egypt** to **Joseph** for to buy corn; because that the famine was so *sore* in *all* lands.

# Genesis 42

- <sup>1</sup> Now when **Jacob** saw that there was corn in **Egypt**, **Jacob** said unto his sons, Why do ye look one upon another?
- <sup>2</sup> And he said, Behold, I have heard that there is corn in **Egypt**: get you *down* thither, and buy for us from thence; that we may live, and not die.
- <sup>3</sup> And **Joseph's ten** brethren went *down* to buy corn in **Egypt**.
- <sup>4</sup> But **Benjamin**, **Joseph's** brother, **Jacob sent not** with his brethren; for he said, Lest *peradventure* mischief befall him.
- <sup>5</sup> And the sons of **Israel** came to buy corn among those that came: for the famine was in the land of **Canaan**.
- <sup>6</sup> And **Joseph** was the governor over the land, and he it was that sold to *all* the people of the land: and **Joseph's** brethren came, and bowed down themselves *before* him with their faces to the earth.
- <sup>7</sup> And **Joseph** saw his brethren, and he knew them, but made himself strange unto them, and spake *roughly* unto them; and he said unto them, Whence come ye? And they said, From the land of **Canaan** to buy food.
- <sup>8</sup> And **Joseph knew** his brethren, but they knew not him.
- <sup>9</sup> And **Joseph remembered** the dreams which he dreamed of them, and said unto them, Ye are spies; to see the nakedness of the land ye are come.
- <sup>10</sup> And they said unto him, Nay, my lord, but to buy food are thy servants come.
- <sup>11</sup> We are *all* one man's sons; we are true men, thy servants are no spies.
- <sup>12</sup> And he said unto them, Nay, but to see the nakedness of the land ye are come.
- <sup>13</sup> And they said, Thy servants are twelve brethren, the sons of one man in the land of **Canaan**; and, behold, the youngest is this day with our father, and one is not.
- <sup>14</sup> And **Joseph** said unto them, That is it that I spake unto you, saying, Ye are spies:
- <sup>15</sup> Hereby ye shall be proved: By the life of **Pharaoh** ye shall not go forth hence, except your youngest brother come hither.
- <sup>16</sup> Send one of you, and let him fetch your brother, and ye shall be kept in prison, that your words may be proved, whether there be *any* truth in you: or else by the life of **Pharaoh** *surely* ye are spies.

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- 17 And he put them *all* together into ward three days.
- 18 And **Joseph** said unto them the third day, This do, and live; for I fear God:
- 19 If ye be true men, let one of your brethren be bound in the house of your prison: go ye, carry corn for the famine of your houses:
- 20 But bring your youngest brother unto me; so shall your words be verified, and ye shall not die. And they did so.
- 21 And they said one to another, We are verily guilty concerning our brother, in that we saw the anguish of his soul, when he besought us, and we would not hear; therefore is this distress come upon us.
- 22 And **Reuben** answered them, saying, Spake I not unto you, saying, Do not sin against the child; and ye would not hear? therefore, behold, also his blood is required.
- 23 And they knew not that **Joseph** understood them; for he spake unto them by an interpreter.
- 24 And he turned himself about from them, and wept; and returned to them again, and communed with them, and took from them **Simeon**, and bound him *before* their eyes.
- 25 Then **Joseph** commanded to fill their sacks with corn, and to restore every man's money into his sack, and to give them provision for the way: and thus did he unto them.
- 26 And they laded their asses with the corn, and departed thence.
- 27 And as one of them opened his sack to give his ass provender in the inn, he espied his money; for, behold, it was in his sack's mouth.
- 28 And he said unto his brethren, My money is restored; and, lo, it is even in my sack: and their heart failed them, and they were afraid, saying one to another, **What is this that God hath done unto us?**
- 29 And they came unto **Jacob** their father unto the land of **Canaan**, and told him *all* that befell unto them; saying,
- 30 The man, who is the lord of the land, spake roughly to us, and took us for spies of the country.
- 31 And we said unto him, We are true men; we are no spies:
- 32 We be twelve brethren, sons of our father; one is not, and the youngest is this day with our father in the land of **Canaan**.
- 33 And the man, the lord of the country, said unto us, Hereby shall I know that ye are true men; leave one of your brethren here with me, and take food for the famine of your households, and be gone:
- 34 And bring your youngest brother unto me: then shall I know that ye are no spies, but that ye are true men: so will I deliver you your brother, and ye shall traffick in the land.

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- <sup>35</sup> And it came to pass as they emptied their sacks, that, behold, every man's bundle of money was in his sack: and when both they and their father saw the bundles of money, they were afraid.
- <sup>36</sup> And **Jacob** their father said unto them, **Me have ye bereaved of my children: Joseph is not, and Simeon is not, and ye will take Benjamin away: all these things are against me.**
- <sup>37</sup> And **Reuben** spake unto his father, saying, **Slay my two sons, if I bring him not to thee: deliver him into my hand, and I will bring him to thee again.**
- <sup>38</sup> And he said, **My son shall not go down with you; for his brother is dead, and he is left alone: if mischief befall him by the way in the which ye go, then shall ye bring down my gray hairs with sorrow to the grave.**

# Genesis 43

- <sup>1</sup> And the famine was sore in the land.
- <sup>2</sup> And it came to pass, when they had eaten up the corn which they had brought *out* of Egypt, their father said unto them, Go again, buy us a *little* food.
- <sup>3</sup> And Judah spake unto him, saying, The man did solemnly protest unto us, saying, Ye shall not see my face, except your brother be with you.
- <sup>4</sup> If thou wilt send our brother with us, we will go *down* and buy thee food:
- <sup>5</sup> But if thou wilt not send him, we will not go *down*: for the man said unto us, Ye shall not see my face, except your brother be with you.
- <sup>6</sup> And Israel said, Wherefore dealt ye so ill with me, as to tell the man whether ye had yet a brother?
- <sup>7</sup> And they said, The man asked us straitly of our state, and of our kindred, saying, Is your father yet alive? have ye another brother? and we told him according to the tenor of these words: could we certainly know that he would say, Bring your brother *down*?
- <sup>8</sup> And Judah said unto Israel his father, Send the lad with me, and we will arise and go; that we may live, and not die, both we, and thou, and also our *little ones*.
- <sup>9</sup> I will be surety for him; of my hand shalt thou require him: if I bring him not unto thee, and set him *before* thee, then let me bear the blame for ever.
- <sup>10</sup> For except we had lingered, *surely* now we had returned this second time.
- <sup>11</sup> And their father Israel said unto them, If it must be so now, do this; take of the best fruits in the land in your vessels, and carry down the man a present, a *little* balm, and a *little* honey, spices, and myrrh, nuts, and almonds:
- <sup>12</sup> And take double money in your hand; and the money that was brought again in the mouth of your sacks, carry it again in your hand; *peradventure* it was an oversight:
- <sup>13</sup> Take also your brother, and arise, go again unto the man:
- <sup>14</sup> And God Almighty give you mercy before the man, that he may send away your other brother, and Benjamin. If I be bereaved of my children, I am bereaved.
- <sup>15</sup> And the men took that present, and they took double money in their hand and Benjamin; and rose up, and went *down* to Egypt, and stood before Joseph.

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- <sup>16</sup> And when **Joseph** saw **Benjamin** with them, he said to the ruler of his house, Bring these men home, and slay, and make ready; for these men shall dine with me at noon.
- <sup>17</sup> And the man did as **Joseph bade**; and the man brought the men into **Joseph's house**.
- <sup>18</sup> And the men were afraid, because they were brought into **Joseph's house**; and they said, Because of the money that was returned in our sacks at the first time are we brought in; that he may seek occasion against us, and fall upon us, and take us for bondmen, and our asses.
- <sup>19</sup> And they came *near* to the steward of **Joseph's house**, and they communed with him at the door of the house,
- <sup>20</sup> And said, O sir, we came indeed *down* at the first time to buy food:
- <sup>21</sup> And it came to pass, when we came to the inn, that we opened our sacks, and, behold, every man's money was in the mouth of his sack, our money in full weight: and we have brought it again in our hand.
- <sup>22</sup> And other money have we brought *down* in our hands to buy food: we cannot tell who put our money in our sacks.
- <sup>23</sup> And he said, **Peace** be to you, fear not: your **God**, and the **God** of your father, hath given you treasure in your sacks: I had your money. And he brought **Simeon** *out* unto them.
- <sup>24</sup> And the man brought the men into **Joseph's house**, and gave them water, and they washed their feet; and he gave their asses provender.
- <sup>25</sup> And they made ready the present against **Joseph** came at noon: for they heard that they should eat bread there. <sup>26</sup> And when **Joseph** came home, they brought him the present which was in their hand into the house, and bowed themselves to him to the earth. <sup>27</sup> And he asked them of their welfare, and said, Is your father well, the old man of whom ye spake? Is he yet alive? <sup>28</sup> And they answered, Thy servant our father is in good health, he is yet alive. And they bowed down their heads, and made obeisance.
- <sup>29</sup> And he lifted up his eyes, and saw his brother **Benjamin**, his mother's son, and said, Is this your younger brother, of whom ye spake unto me? And he said, **God** be gracious unto thee, my son.
- <sup>30</sup> And **Joseph** made haste; for his bowels did yearn upon his brother: and he sought where to weep; and he entered into his chamber, and wept there. <sup>31</sup> And he washed his face, and went *out*, and refrained himself, and said, Set on bread. <sup>32</sup> And they set on for him by himself, and for them by themselves, and for the **Egyptians**, which did eat with him, by themselves: because the **Egyptians** might not eat bread with the **Hebrews**; for that is an abomination unto the **Egyptians**. <sup>33</sup> And they sat before him, the firstborn according to his birthright, and the youngest according to his youth: and the men marvelled one at another. <sup>34</sup> And he took and sent messes unto them from *before* him: but **Benjamin's mess** was five times so much as *any* of their's. And they drank, and were merry with him.



# Genesis 44

- <sup>1</sup> And he **commanded** the **steward** of his **house**, saying, **Fill** the **men's sacks** with **food**, as much as they can **carry**, and put **every man's money** in his sack's **mouth**.
- <sup>2</sup> And put my **cup**, the **silver** cup, in the **sack's mouth** of the **youngest**, and his **corn money**. And he did according to the **word** that **Joseph** had spoken.
- <sup>3</sup> As soon as the **morning** was **light**, the **men** were **sent** away, they and their **asses**.
- <sup>4</sup> And when they were gone *out* of the **city**, and **not** yet *far off*, **Joseph** said unto his **steward**, Up, **follow after** the **men**; and when thou dost **overtake** them, say unto them, Wherefore have ye **rewarded evil** for **good**?
- <sup>5</sup> Is **not** this it in which my **lord drinketh**, and whereby indeed he **divineth**? ye have done **evil** in so doing.
- <sup>6</sup> And he **overtook** them, and he spake unto them these same **words**.
- <sup>7</sup> And they said unto him, Wherefore saith my **lord** these **words**? **God forbid** that thy **servants** should do according to this **thing**:
- <sup>8</sup> Behold, the **money**, which we **found** in our **sacks' mouths**, we brought **again** unto thee *out* of the land of **Canaan**: how then should we **steal** *out* of thy **lord's house silver** or **gold**?
- <sup>9</sup> With whomsoever of thy **servants** it be **found**, both let him **die**, and we also will be my lord's **bondmen**.
- <sup>10</sup> And he said, Now also let it be according unto your **words**: he with whom it is **found** shall be my **servant**; and ye shall be **blameless**.
- <sup>11</sup> Then they **speedily** took *down* **every man** his **sack** to the **ground**, and **opened** every man his sack.
- <sup>12</sup> And he **searched**, and began at the **eldest**, and left at the **youngest**: and the **cup** was **found** in **Benjamin's sack**.
- <sup>13</sup> Then they **rent** their **clothes**, and **laded** every man his **ass**, and **returned** to the **city**.
- <sup>14</sup> And **Judah** and his brethren came to **Joseph's house**; for he was yet there: and they **fell** *before* him on the **ground**.
- <sup>15</sup> And **Joseph** said unto them, What **deed** is this that ye have done? wot ye **not** that such a **man** as I can **certainly divine**? <sup>16</sup> And **Judah** said, What shall we say unto my lord? what shall we speak? or how shall we **clear** ourselves? **God** hath **found** *out* the **iniquity** of thy **servants**: behold, we are my lord's servants, both we, and he also with whom the **cup** is **found**.

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- 17 And he said, **God forbid** that I should do so: but the man in whose hand the cup is found, he shall be my **servant**; and as for you, get you up in **peace** unto your father.
- 18 Then **Judah** came *near* unto him, and said, Oh my lord, let thy servant, I pray thee, speak a word in my lord's ears, and let **not** thine anger burn against thy servant: for thou art even as **Pharaoh**.
- 19 My lord asked his servants, saying, Have ye a father, or a brother?
- 20 And we said unto my lord, We have a father, an old man, and a child of his old age, a *little one*; and his brother is dead, and he *alone* is left of his mother, and his father **loveth** him.
- 21 And thou saidst unto thy servants, Bring him *down* unto me, that I may set mine eyes upon him.
- 22 And we said unto my lord, The lad cannot leave his father: for if he should leave his father, his father would **die**.
- 23 And thou saidst unto thy servants, Except your youngest brother come *down* with you, ye shall see my face no more.
- 24 And it came to pass when we came *up* unto thy servant my father, we told him the words of my lord.
- 25 And our father said, Go again, and **buy** us a *little food*.
- 26 And we said, We **cannot** go *down*: if our youngest brother be with us, then will we go *down*: for we may **not** see the man's face, except our youngest brother be with us.
- 27 And thy servant my father said unto us, Ye **know** that my wife bare me **two** sons:
- 28 And the one went *out* from me, and I said, **Surely** he is torn in pieces; and I saw him **not** since:
- 29 And if ye take this also from me, and **mischief befall** him, ye shall bring *down* my gray hairs with **sorrow** to the grave.
- 30 Now therefore when I come to thy servant my father, and the lad be **not** with us; seeing that his life is bound up in the lad's life;
- 31 It shall come to pass, when he seeth that the lad is **not** with us, that he will **die**: and thy servants shall bring *down* the gray hairs of thy servant our father with **sorrow** to the grave.
- 32 For thy servant became **surety** for the lad unto my father, saying, If I bring him **not** unto thee, then I shall **bear** the **blame** to my **father for ever**.
- 33 **Now therefore, I pray thee, let thy servant abide instead of the lad a bondman to my lord; and let the lad go *up* with his brethren.**
- 34 For how shall I go *up* to my father, and the lad be **not** with me? lest *peradventure* I see the **evil** that shall come on my father.

# Genesis 45

- <sup>1</sup> Then **Joseph** could not refrain himself *before all* them that stood by him; and he cried, Cause every man to go *out* from me. And there stood no man with him, while **Joseph** made himself known unto his brethren.
- <sup>2</sup> And he wept aloud: and the **Egyptians** and the house of **Pharaoh** heard.
- <sup>3</sup> And **Joseph** said unto his brethren, I am **Joseph**; doth my father yet live? And his brethren could not answer him; for they were troubled at his presence.
- <sup>4</sup> And **Joseph** said unto his brethren, Come *near* to me, I pray you. And they came *near*. And he said, I am **Joseph** your brother, whom ye sold into **Egypt**.
- <sup>5</sup> Now therefore be not grieved, nor angry with yourselves, that ye sold me hither: for **God** did send me *before* you to preserve life.
- <sup>6</sup> For these two years hath the famine been in the land: and yet there are five years, in the which there shall neither be earing nor harvest.
- <sup>7</sup> And **God** sent me *before* you to preserve you a posterity in the earth, and to save your lives by a great deliverance.
- <sup>8</sup> So now it was not you that sent me hither, but **God**: and he hath made me a father to **Pharaoh**, and lord of all his house, and a ruler throughout all the land of **Egypt**.
- <sup>9</sup> Haste ye, and go *up* to my father, and say unto him, Thus saith thy son **Joseph**, **God** hath made me lord of all Egypt: come *down* unto me, tarry not:
- <sup>10</sup> And thou shalt  dwell in the land of **Goshen**, and thou shalt be *near* unto me, thou, and thy children, and thy children's children, and thy flocks, and thy herds, and all that thou hast:
- <sup>11</sup> And there will I nourish thee; for yet there are five years of famine; lest thou, and thy household, and all that thou hast, come to poverty.
- <sup>12</sup> And, behold, your eyes see, and the eyes of my brother **Benjamin**, that it is my mouth that speaketh unto you.
- <sup>13</sup> And ye shall tell my father of all my glory in **Egypt**, and of all that ye have seen; and ye shall haste and bring *down* my father hither.
- <sup>14</sup> And he fell upon his brother **Benjamin's neck**, and wept; and **Benjamin** wept upon his neck.
- <sup>15</sup> Moreover he kissed all his brethren, and wept upon them: and *after* that his brethren talked with him.

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- <sup>16</sup> And the fame thereof was heard in Pharaoh's house, saying, Joseph's brethren are come: and it pleased Pharaoh well, and his servants.
- <sup>17</sup> And Pharaoh said unto Joseph, Say unto thy brethren, This do ye; lade your beasts, and go, get you unto the land of Canaan;
- <sup>18</sup> And take your father and your households, and come unto me: and I will give you the good of the land of Egypt, and ye shall eat the fat of the land.
- <sup>19</sup> Now thou art commanded, this do ye; take you wagons *out* of the land of Egypt for your *little ones*, and for your wives, and bring your father, and come.
- <sup>20</sup> Also regard not your stuff; for the good of *all* the land of Egypt is your's.
- <sup>21</sup> And the children of Israel did so: and Joseph gave them wagons, according to the commandment of Pharaoh, and gave them provision for the way.
- <sup>22</sup> To *all* of them he gave each man changes of raiment; but to Benjamin he gave three hundred pieces of silver, and five changes of raiment.
- <sup>23</sup> And to his father he sent *after* this manner; ten asses laden with the good things of Egypt, and ten she asses laden with corn and bread and meat for his father by the way.
- <sup>24</sup> So he sent his brethren away, and they departed: and he said unto them, See that ye fall not *out* by the way.
- <sup>25</sup> And they went *up out* of Egypt, and came into the land of Canaan unto Jacob their father,
- <sup>26</sup> And told him, saying, Joseph is yet alive, and he is governor over *all* the land of Egypt. And Jacob's heart fainted, for he believed them not.
- <sup>27</sup> And they told him *all* the words of Joseph, which he had said unto them: and when he saw the wagons which Joseph had sent to carry him, the spirit of Jacob their father revived:
- <sup>28</sup> And Israel said, It is enough; Joseph my son is yet alive: I will go and see him *before* I die.

# Genesis 46

- <sup>1</sup> And **Israel** took his journey with *all* that he had, and came to **Beersheba**, and offered sacrifices unto the **God** of his father Isaac.
- <sup>2</sup> And **God** spake unto **Israel** in the visions of the night, and said, **Jacob, Jacob**. And he said, Here am I.
- <sup>3</sup> And he said, **I am God**, the **God of thy father**: fear not to go *down* into **Egypt**; for I will there make of thee **a great nation**:
- <sup>4</sup> I will go *down with* thee into **Egypt**; and I will also *surely* bring thee *up again*: and **Joseph** shall put his hand upon thine eyes.
- <sup>5</sup> And **Jacob rose up** from **Beersheba**: and the sons of **Israel** carried Jacob their father, and their *little ones*, and their wives, in the wagons which **Pharaoh** had sent to carry him.
- <sup>6</sup> And they took their cattle, and their goods, which they had gotten in the land of **Canaan**, and came into **Egypt, Jacob**, and *all* his seed with him:
- <sup>7</sup> His sons, and his sons' sons with him, his daughters, and his sons' daughters, and *all* his seed brought he with him into **Egypt**.
- <sup>8</sup> And these are the names of the children of **Israel**, which came into **Egypt, Jacob** and his sons: **Reuben, Jacob's firstborn**.
- <sup>9</sup> And the sons of **Reuben; Hanoah**, and **Phallu**, and **Hezron**, and **Carmi**.
- <sup>10</sup> And the sons of **Simeon; Jemuel**, and **Jamin**, and **Ohad**, and **Jachin**, and **Zohar**, and **Shaul** the son of a **Canaanitish** woman.
- <sup>11</sup> And the sons of **Levi; Gershon, Kohath**, and **Merari**.
- <sup>12</sup> And the sons of **Judah; Er**, and **Onan**, and **Shelah**, and **Pharez**, and **Zarah**: but **Er** and **Onan** *died* in the land of **Canaan**. And the sons of **Pharez** were **Hezron** and **Hamul**.
- <sup>13</sup> And the sons of **Issachar; Tola**, and **Phuvah**, and **Job**, and **Shimron**.
- <sup>14</sup> And the sons of **Zebulun; Sered**, and **Elon**, and **Jahleel**.
- <sup>15</sup> These be the sons of **Leah**, which she bare unto **Jacob** in **Padanaram**, with his daughter **Dinah**: *all* the souls of his sons and his daughters were thirty and three.
- <sup>16</sup> And the sons of **Gad; Ziphion**, and **Haggi, Shuni**, and **Ezbon, Eri**, and **Arodi**, and **Areli**.

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- 17 And the sons of **Asher**; **Jimnah**, and **Ishuah**, and **Isui**, and **Beriah**, and **Serah** their sister: and the sons of **Beriah**; **Heber**, and **Malchiel**.
- 18 These are the sons of **Zilpah**, whom **Laban** gave to **Leah** his daughter, and these she bare unto **Jacob**, even sixteen souls.
- 19 The sons of **Rachel Jacob's wife**; **Joseph**, and **Benjamin**.
- 20 And unto **Joseph** in the land of **Egypt** were born **Manasseh** and **Ephraim**, which **Asenath** the daughter of **Potipherah priest** of **On** bare unto him.
- 21 And the sons of **Benjamin** were **Belah**, and **Becher**, and **Ashbel**, **Gera**, and **Naaman**, **Ehi**, and **Rosh**, **Muppim**, and **Huppim**, and **Ard**.
- 22 These are the sons of **Rachel**, which were born to **Jacob**: *all* the souls were fourteen.
- 23 And the sons of **Dan**; **Hushim**.
- 24 And the sons of **Naphtali**; **Jahzeel**, and **Guni**, and **Jezer**, and **Shillem**.
- 25 These are the sons of **Bilhah**, which **Laban** gave unto **Rachel** his daughter, and she bare these unto **Jacob**: *all* the souls were seven.
- 26 *All* the souls that came with **Jacob** into **Egypt**, which came *out* of his loins, besides **Jacob's** sons' wives, *all* the souls were threescore and six;
- 27 And the sons of **Joseph**, which were born him in **Egypt**, were two souls: *all* the souls of the house of **Jacob**, which came into **Egypt**, were threescore and ten.
- 28 And he sent **Judah** *before* him unto **Joseph**, to direct his face unto **Goshen**; and they came into the land of **Goshen**.
- 29 And **Joseph** made ready his chariot, and went *up* to meet **Israel** his father, to **Goshen**, and presented himself unto him; and he fell on his neck, and wept on his neck a good while.
- 30 And **Israel** said unto **Joseph**, Now let me die, since I have seen thy face, because thou art yet alive.
- 31 And **Joseph** said unto his brethren, and unto his father's house, I will go *up*, and shew **Pharaoh**, and say unto him, My brethren, and my father's house, which were in the land of **Canaan**, are come unto me;
- 32 And the men are shepherds, for their trade hath been to feed cattle; and they have brought their flocks, and their herds, and *all* that they have.
- 33 And it shall come to pass, when **Pharaoh** shall call you, and shall say, What is your occupation?
- 34 That ye shall say, Thy servants' trade hath been about cattle from our youth even until now, both we, and also our fathers: that ye may dwell in the land of **Goshen**; for every shepherd is an abomination unto the **Egyptians**.

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- <sup>1</sup> Then **Joseph** came and told **Pharaoh**, and said, My father and my brethren, and their flocks, and their herds, and *all* that they have, are come *out* of the land of **Canaan**; and, behold, they are in the land of **Goshen**.
- <sup>2</sup> And he took some of his brethren, even five men, and presented them unto **Pharaoh**.
- <sup>3</sup> And **Pharaoh** said unto his brethren, What is your occupation? And they said unto **Pharaoh**, Thy servants are shepherds, both we, and also our fathers.
- <sup>4</sup> They said moreover unto **Pharaoh**, For to sojourn in the land are we come; for thy servants have no pasture for their flocks; for the famine is sore in the land of **Canaan**: now therefore, we pray thee, let thy servants  dwell in the land of **Goshen**.
- <sup>5</sup> And **Pharaoh** spake unto **Joseph**, saying, Thy father and thy brethren are come unto thee:
- <sup>6</sup> The land of **Egypt** is before thee; in the best of the land make thy father and brethren to  dwell ; in the land of **Goshen** let them dwell: and if thou knowest *any men* of activity among them, then make them  rulers over my  cattle .
- <sup>7</sup> And **Joseph** brought in **Jacob** his father, and set him *before* **Pharaoh**: and **Jacob**  blessed **Pharaoh**.
- <sup>8</sup> And **Pharaoh** said unto **Jacob**, How  old  art thou?
- <sup>9</sup> And **Jacob** said unto **Pharaoh**, The  days  of the  years  of my  pilgrimage  are an  hundred and thirty years : *few* and *evil* have the days of the years of my  life  been, and have  not attained  unto the days of the years of the life of my fathers in the days of their pilgrimage.
- <sup>10</sup> And **Jacob**  blessed **Pharaoh**, and went *out* from *before* **Pharaoh**.
- <sup>11</sup> And **Joseph** placed his  father  and his brethren, and gave them a  possession  in the land of **Egypt**, in the  best  of the land, in the land of **Rameses**, as **Pharaoh** had  commanded .
- <sup>12</sup> And **Joseph**  nourished  his  father , and his brethren, and *all* his father's  household , with  bread , according to their  families .
- <sup>13</sup> And there was  no bread  in *all* the land; for the famine was  very sore , so that the land of **Egypt** and *all* the land of **Canaan**  fainted  by  reason  of the  famine .
- <sup>14</sup> And **Joseph**  gathered up  *all* the  money  that was  found  in the land of **Egypt**, and in the land of **Canaan**, for the  corn  which they  bought : and **Joseph** brought the money into **Pharaoh's**  house .

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- <sup>15</sup> And when money failed in the land of **Egypt**, and in the land of **Canaan**, *all* the **Egyptians** came unto **Joseph**, and said, Give us bread: for why should we die in thy presence? for the money faileth.
- <sup>16</sup> And **Joseph** said, Give your cattle; and I will give you for your cattle, if money fail.
- <sup>17</sup> And they brought their cattle unto **Joseph**: and **Joseph** gave them bread in exchange for horses, and for the flocks, and for the cattle of the herds, and for the asses: and he fed them with bread for *all* their cattle for that year.
- <sup>18</sup> When that year was ended, they came unto him the second year, and said unto him, We will not hide it from my lord, how that our money is spent; my lord also hath our herds of cattle; there is not ought left in the sight of my lord, but our bodies, and our lands:
- <sup>19</sup> Wherefore shall we die *before* thine eyes, both we and our land? buy us and our land for bread, and we and our land will be servants unto **Pharaoh**: and give us seed, that we may live, and not die, that the land be not desolate.
- <sup>20</sup> And **Joseph bought all the land of Egypt for Pharaoh**; for the **Egyptians** sold every man his field, because the famine prevailed over them: so the land became **Pharaoh's**.
- <sup>21</sup> And as for the people, he removed them to cities from one end of the borders of **Egypt** even to the other end thereof.
- <sup>22</sup> Only the land of the priests bought he not; for the priests had a portion assigned them of **Pharaoh**, and did eat their portion which **Pharaoh** gave them: wherefore they sold not their lands.
- <sup>23</sup> Then **Joseph** said unto the people, Behold, I have bought you this day and your land for **Pharaoh**: lo, here is seed for you, and ye shall sow the land.
- <sup>24</sup> And it shall come to pass in the increase, that ye shall give the fifth part unto **Pharaoh**, and four parts shall be your own, for seed of the field, and for your food, and for them of your households, and for food for your *little ones*. <sup>25</sup> And they said, Thou hast saved our lives: let us find grace in the sight of my lord, and we will be **Pharaoh's servants**. <sup>26</sup> And **Joseph** made it a law over the land of **Egypt** unto this day, that **Pharaoh** should have the fifth part, except the land of the priests *only*, which became not Pharaoh's. <sup>27</sup> And **Israel** dwelt in the land of **Egypt**, in the country of **Goshen**; and they had possessions therein, and grew, and multiplied exceedingly. <sup>28</sup> And **Jacob** lived in the land of **Egypt** seventeen years: so the whole age of **Jacob** was an hundred forty and seven years. <sup>29</sup> And the time drew *nigh* that **Israel** must die: and he called his son **Joseph**, and said unto him, If now I have found grace in thy sight, put, I pray thee, thy hand *under* my thigh, and deal kindly and truly with me; bury me not, I pray thee, in **Egypt**: <sup>30</sup> But I will lie with my fathers, and thou shalt carry me *out* of **Egypt**, and bury me in their buryingplace. And he said, I will do as thou hast said. <sup>31</sup> And he said, Swear unto me. And he swore unto him. And **Israel** bowed himself upon the bed's head.



# Genesis 48

- <sup>1</sup> And it came to pass *after* these things, that one told **Joseph**, Behold, thy father is sick: and he took with him his two sons, **Manasseh** and **Ephraim**.
- <sup>2</sup> And one told **Jacob**, and said, Behold, thy son **Joseph** cometh unto thee: and **Israel** strengthened himself, and sat upon the bed.
- <sup>3</sup> And **Jacob** said unto **Joseph**, **God Almighty** appeared unto me at **Luz** in the land of **Canaan**, and blessed me,
- <sup>4</sup> And said unto me, Behold, I will make thee fruitful, and multiply thee, and I will make of thee a multitude of people; and will give this land to thy seed *after* thee for an everlasting possession.
- <sup>5</sup> And now thy two sons, **Ephraim** and **Manasseh**, which were born unto thee in the land of **Egypt** *before* I came unto thee into **Egypt**, are mine; as **Reuben** and **Simeon**, they shall be mine.
- <sup>6</sup> And thy issue, which thou begettest *after* them, shall be thine, and shall be called *after* the name of their brethren in their inheritance.
- <sup>7</sup> And as for me, when I came from **Padan**, **Rachel** died by me in the land of **Canaan** in the way, when yet there was but a *little* way to come unto **Ephrath**: and I buried her there in the way of **Ephrath**; the same is **Bethlehem**.
- <sup>8</sup> And **Israel** beheld **Joseph's** sons, and said, Who are these?
- <sup>9</sup> And **Joseph** said unto his father, They are my sons, whom **God** hath given me in this place. And he said, Bring them, I pray thee, unto me, and I will bless them.
- <sup>10</sup> Now the eyes of **Israel** were dim for age, so that he could not see. And he brought them *near* unto him; and he kissed them, and embraced them.
- <sup>11</sup> And **Israel** said unto **Joseph**, I had not thought to see thy face: and, lo, **God** hath shewed me *also* thy seed.
- <sup>12</sup> And **Joseph** brought them *out* from between his knees, and he bowed himself with his face to the earth.
- <sup>13</sup> And **Joseph** took them both, **Ephraim** in his right hand *toward* **Israel's** left hand, and **Manasseh** in his left hand *toward* **Israel's** right hand, and brought them *near* unto him.
- <sup>14</sup> And **Israel** stretched out his right hand, and laid it upon **Ephraim's** head, who was the younger, and his left hand upon **Manasseh's** head, guiding his hands *wittingly*, for **Manasseh** was the firstborn.

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- <sup>15</sup> And he **blessed Joseph**, and said, **God**, *before whom my fathers Abraham and Isaac did walk*, the God which **fed** me *all my life long* unto this **day**,
- <sup>16</sup> The **Angel** which **redeemed** me from *all evil*, **bless** the **lads**; and let my **name** be named on them, and the name of my **fathers Abraham and Isaac**; and let them **grow** into a **multitude** in the midst of the **earth**.
- <sup>17</sup> And when **Joseph** saw that his **father laid** his **right hand** upon the **head** of **Ephraim**, it *displeased* him: and he **held up** his **father's hand**, to **remove** it from **Ephraim's** head unto **Manasseh's** head.
- <sup>18</sup> And **Joseph** said unto his **father**, **Not so**, my **father**: for this is the **firstborn**; put thy **right hand** upon his **head**.
- <sup>19</sup> And his **father refused**, and said, I **know** it, my son, I know it: he *also* shall become a people, and he also shall be **great**: but *truly* his **younger** brother shall be **greater** than he, and his **seed** shall become a **multitude** of **nations**.
- <sup>20</sup> And he **blessed** them that **day**, saying, **In thee shall Israel bless**, saying, **God make thee as Ephraim and as Manasseh**: and he set **Ephraim before Manasseh**.
- <sup>21</sup> And **Israel** said unto **Joseph**, Behold, I **die**: but **God** shall be with you, and bring you **again** unto the land of your **fathers**.
- <sup>22</sup> Moreover I have given to thee **one portion** *above* thy brethren, which I took *out* of the **hand** of the **Amorite** with my **sword** and with my **bow**.

# Genesis 49

- <sup>1</sup> And **Jacob** called unto his sons, and said, Gather yourselves together, that I may tell you that which shall befall you in the last days.
- <sup>2</sup> Gather yourselves together, and hear, ye sons of **Jacob**; and hearken unto **Israel** your father.
- <sup>3</sup> **Reuben**, thou art my firstborn, my might, and the beginning of my strength, the excellency of dignity, and the excellency of power:
- <sup>4</sup> Unstable as water, thou shalt not excel; because thou wentest up to thy father's bed; then defiledst thou it: he went up to my couch.
- <sup>5</sup> **Simeon** and **Levi** are brethren; instruments of cruelty are in their habitations.
- <sup>6</sup> O my soul, come not thou into their secret; unto their assembly, mine honour, be not thou united: for in their anger they slew a man, and in their selfwill they digged down a wall.
- <sup>7</sup> Cursed be their anger, for it was fierce; and their wrath, for it was cruel: I will divide them in **Jacob**, and scatter them in **Israel**.
- <sup>8</sup> **Judah**, thou art he whom thy brethren shall praise: thy hand shall be in the neck of thine enemies; thy father's children shall bow down before thee.
- <sup>9</sup> **Judah** is a lion's whelp: from the prey, my son, thou art gone up: he stooped down, he couched as a lion, and as an old lion; who shall rouse him up?
- <sup>10</sup> The sceptre shall not depart from **Judah**, nor a lawgiver from between his feet, until Shiloh come; and unto him shall the gathering of the people be.
- <sup>11</sup> Binding his foal unto the vine, and his ass's colt unto the choice vine; he washed his garments in wine, and his clothes in the blood of grapes:
- <sup>12</sup> His eyes shall be red with wine, and his teeth white with milk.
- <sup>13</sup> **Zebulun** shall dwell at the haven of the sea; and he shall be for an haven of ships; and his border shall be unto **Zidon**.
- <sup>14</sup> **Issachar** is a strong ass couching down between two burdens:
- <sup>15</sup> And he saw that rest was good, and the land that it was pleasant; and bowed his shoulder to bear, and became a servant unto tribute.
- <sup>16</sup> **Dan** shall judge his people, as one of the tribes of **Israel**.

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- 17 **Dan** shall be a serpent by the way, an adder in the path, that biteth the horse heels, so that his rider shall fall backward.
- 18 I have waited for thy salvation, O **LORD**.
- 19 **Gad**, a troop shall overcome him: but he shall overcome at the last.
- 20 *Out* of **Asher** his bread shall be fat, and he shall yield royal dainties.
- 21 **Naphtali** is a hind let loose: he giveth goodly words.
- 22 **Joseph** is a fruitful bough, even a *fruitful* bough by a well; whose branches run over the wall:
- 23 The archers have sorely grieved him, and shot at him, and hated him:
- 24 But his bow abode in strength, and the arms of his hands were made strong by the hands of the mighty God of Jacob; (from thence is the shepherd, the stone of **Israel**:)
- 25 Even by the **God** of thy father, who shall help thee; and by the **Almighty**, who shall bless thee with blessings of heaven *above*, blessings of the deep that lieth *under*, blessings of the breasts, and of the womb:
- 26 The blessings of thy father have prevailed *above* the blessings of my progenitors unto the utmost bound of the everlasting hills: they shall be on the head of **Joseph**, and on the crown of the head of him that was separate from his brethren.
- 27 **Benjamin** shall ravin as a wolf: in the morning he shall devour the prey, and at night he shall divide the spoil.
- 28 *All* these are the twelve tribes of **Israel**: and this is it that their father spake unto them, and blessed them; every one according to his blessing he blessed them.
- 29 And he charged them, and said unto them, **I am to be gathered** unto my people: bury me with my fathers in the cave that is in the field of **Ephron** the **Hittite**,
- 30 In the cave that is in the field of **Machpelah**, which is *before* **Mamre**, in the land of **Canaan**, which **Abraham** bought with the field of **Ephron** the **Hittite** for a possession of a buryingplace.
- 31 There they buried **Abraham** and **Sarah** his wife; there they buried **Isaac** and **Rebekah** his wife; and there I buried **Leah**.
- 32 The purchase of the field and of the cave that is therein was from the children of **Heth**.
- 33 And when **Jacob** had made an end of commanding his sons, he gathered up his feet into the bed, and yielded up the ghost, and was gathered unto his people.

# Genesis 50

- <sup>1</sup> And **Joseph** fell upon his father's face, and wept upon him, and kissed him.
- <sup>2</sup> And **Joseph** commanded his servants the physicians to embalm his father: and the physicians embalmed **Israel**.
- <sup>3</sup> And forty days were fulfilled for him; for so are fulfilled the days of those which are embalmed: and the **Egyptians** mourned for him threescore and ten days.
- <sup>4</sup> And when the days of his mourning were past, **Joseph** spake unto the house of **Pharaoh**, saying, If now I have found grace in your eyes, speak, I pray you, in the ears of **Pharaoh**, saying,
- <sup>5</sup> My father made me swear, saying, Lo, I die: in my grave which I have digged for me in the land of **Canaan**, there shalt thou bury me. Now therefore let me go up, I pray thee, and bury my father, and I will come again.
- <sup>6</sup> And **Pharaoh** said, Go up, and bury thy father, according as he made thee swear.
- <sup>7</sup> And **Joseph** went up to bury his father: and with him went up *all* the servants of **Pharaoh**, the elders of his house, and *all* the elders of the land of **Egypt**,
- <sup>8</sup> And *all* the house of **Joseph**, and his brethren, and his father's house: only their little ones, and their flocks, and their herds, they left in the land of **Goshen**.
- <sup>9</sup> And there went up with him both chariots and horsemen: and it was a very great company.
- <sup>10</sup> And they came to the threshingfloor of **Atad**, which is *beyond* **Jordan**, and there they mourned with a great and very sore lamentation: and he made a mourning for his father seven days.
- <sup>11</sup> And when the inhabitants of the land, the **Canaanites**, saw the mourning in the floor of **Atad**, they said, This is a grievous mourning to the **Egyptians**: wherefore the name of it was called **Abelmizraim**, which is *beyond* **Jordan**.
- <sup>12</sup> And his sons did unto him according as he commanded them:
- <sup>13</sup> For his sons carried him into the land of **Canaan**, and buried him in the cave of the field of **Machpelah**, which **Abraham** bought with the field for a possession of a buryingplace of **Ephron** the **Hittite**, *before* **Mamre**.
- <sup>14</sup> And **Joseph** returned into **Egypt**, he, and his brethren, and *all* that went up with him to bury his father, *after* he had buried his father.

# Genesis 50

- <sup>15</sup> And when **Joseph's** brethren saw that their father was dead, they said, **Joseph** will *peradventure* hate us, and will *certainly* requite us *all* the evil which we did unto him.
- <sup>16</sup> And they sent a messenger unto **Joseph**, saying, Thy father did command *before* he died, saying,
- <sup>17</sup> So shall ye say unto **Joseph**, Forgive, I pray thee now, the trespass of thy brethren, and their sin; for they did unto thee evil: and now, we pray thee, forgive the trespass of the servants of the **God** of thy father. And **Joseph** wept when they spake unto him.
- <sup>18</sup> And his brethren also went and fell down *before* his face; and they said, Behold, we be thy servants.
- <sup>19</sup> And **Joseph** said unto them, Fear not: for am I in the place of **God**?
- <sup>20</sup> **But as for you, ye thought** evil against me; but **God** meant it unto good, to bring to pass, as it is this day, to save *much* people alive.
- <sup>21</sup> Now therefore fear ye not: I will nourish you, and your *little* ones. And he comforted them, and spake *kindly* unto them.
- <sup>22</sup> And **Joseph** dwelt in **Egypt**, he, and his father's house: and **Joseph** lived an hundred and ten years.
- <sup>23</sup> And **Joseph** saw **Ephraim's** children of the third generation: the children also of **Machir** the son of **Manasseh** were brought *up* upon **Joseph's** knees.
- <sup>24</sup> And **Joseph** said unto his brethren, I die: and **God** will surely visit you, and bring you *out* of this land unto the land which he sware to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob.
- <sup>25</sup> And **Joseph** took an oath of the children of **Israel**, saying, **God** will surely visit you, and ye shall carry up my bones from hence.
- <sup>26</sup> So **Joseph** died, being an hundred and ten years old: and they embalmed him, and he was put in a coffin in **Egypt**.